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Certain of Bankers' Guilt HE SAYS Colton Securities Traced

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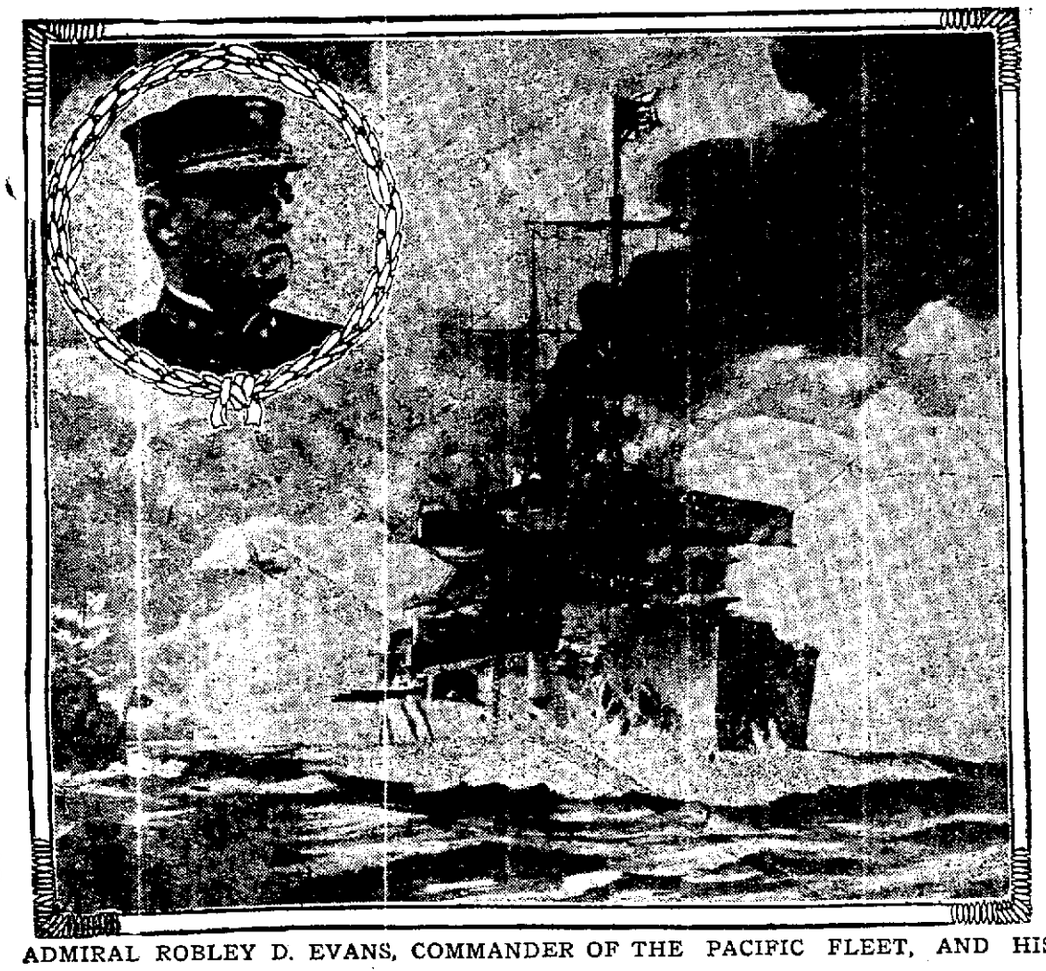
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The latest development in the investigation of the methods of the officials of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company is that the bonds of the Colton estate are in the possession of George J. Gould, the famous railway magnate, who is building the Western Pacific transcontinental road. This revelation was made public today by Deputy District Attorney William Hoff Cook, who was present when David F. Walker, president of the wrecked bank, made a statement purporting to be all that he knew of the workings of the institutions whose affairs were directed by J. Dalzell Brown and W. J. Bartnett.

Cook, when asked if the Colton securities which Brown and Bartnett and Walker are accused of embezzling, had been sold, said: "I believe Mr. Gould in Wall Street got the bonds. The securities are not here."

In speaking further of the case, Cook said: "I am absolutely satisfied of the guilt of Brown and Bartnett."

$200,000 BAIL FOR BROWN AND BARTNETT

FLEET READY TO SAIL



ADMIRAL ROBLEY D. EVANS, COMMANDER OF THE PACIFIC FLEET, AND HIS FLAGSHIP, THE CONNECTICUT.

"I WILL DEPOSE HARRIMAN," IS FISH'S DEFI

Files Affidavit, in Which He Threatens Dire Vengeance.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—"If I obtain a majority of proxies to be voted at the annual meeting of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, I shall depose Edward H. Harriman as a director," declared Stuyvesant Fish in an affidavit filed today before the Superior Court. He also declared in the affidavit, "To everybody in the country the removal of such an individual as Harriman is shown to be would be a welcome sign of returning morality in the management of great corporations of the country."

Mr. Fish reiterated the statement that Mr. Harriman is seeking to control the Illinois Central in the interest of the Union Pacific.

Mr. Fish in his affidavit, which is a reply to one filed yesterday in the name of Mr. Harriman and other directors of the Illinois Central, declares tht he has been a benefactor of J. T. Harahan, now president of the Illinois Central. He asserts that he saved Harahan from dis-

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PROOF AGAINST THEM OVERWHELMING, SAYS DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Declares That the Discovery of New Evidence Make the Cases Look Blacker.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—An increase in the bail of J. Dalzell Brown and W. J. Bartnett, of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, from $75,000 to $200,000 was demanded by Assistant District Attorney Hoff Cook in Judge Dunne's court room this morning. That additional evidence of criminality on the part of the bank officials had come to light was given by Cook as the reason for the demand. Oscar Cooper, representing Bartnett, opposed the increase and succeeded in getting a continuance until 2 o'clock this afternoon. In the meantime an effort will be made by Bartnett and Brown to secure the sum.

Hiram Johnson, attorney for Brown, succeeded in getting the financier his liberty until 2 o'clock. Then Judge Dunne allowed Bartnett to continue free until 2 o'clock, with, however, a detective in his company. Johnson was on his feet and demanded the same privilege. Under the circumstances the court could not refuse and Brown was allowed to go with Johnson and Detective Driscoll to see that he returned after his few hours' semi-liberty. Johnson created some amusement in the court room when he secured Brown the privilege of "looking for bail."

"As long as Mr. Bartnett has been released to look for his $200,000 or $2,000,000, something like that," said he addressing the court, "there is no reason why my client shouldn't have the same privilege. The sun is just as sweet to us today as it has ever been, and it is really sweeter. So with a bodyguard to

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UNCLE ATTACKS 6-YEAR-OLD NIECE

Three Men Rescue Girl and Turn Man Over to Police.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Grossly violating the sacred trust imposed in him by the mothers of two pretty girls, W. W. Adair, a sailor employed on the U. S. S. Pensacola at Yerba Buena Island, and an uncle of the children, attacked one of them at the ocean beach about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and was captured by three citizens, who held him until the arrival of the police.

Pretty little Marcia Wilson, aged 6 years, with her cousin, Muriel Lewis, both of 1824 Ellis street, were invited by their uncle to take a trip out to the Cliff House. While walking along the ocean beach Adair told Muriel to run ahead while he and Marcia should sit down a while in the shade of the brush. The man, however, was prevented from wholly carrying out his designs by the arrival of Frank Galvin, G. S. Timmerman and Gordon Kernnan, who, coming upon him, placed him under arrest and, calling the other little girl, learned the story of the case.

Galvin telephoned to the Park Police Station and Officer Fred Kirchner was hurriedly dispatched to the scene. He arrested Adair, also taking the two girls, drove to the station, where the whole story was told to Captain of Police Duke, after which the little Wilson girl was taken to the Central Emergency Hospital, where Dr. Tillman found that she had not been seriously injured.

Neither child is over 6 years old and their parents were frantic when they heard of the affair last night and could only express their thanks to the three men who luckily happened to be in the vicinity and prevented a worse crime being committed.

SUICIDE: Married Persons More Likely Than Single To Kill Themselves

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Married persons are much more likely to commit suicide than single ones, according to the annual report of Coroner Peter M. Hoffman, which he completed yesterday for the county board.

Of a total of 407 persons, who committed suicide in Chicago in the twelve months ending December 1, 1907, two hundred were married, while only 124 were single. Thirty-six widowers also were in the list, thirteen widows, and ten divorced persons. In twenty-four cases the coroner was unable to learn whether the persons had ever been married or not.

ASKS FAMILY TO DIE; KILLS WIFE

Financial Troubles Lead to Woman's Murder and Husband's Attempt to End Life.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 13.—C. M. Colby, a janitor in the Oxford flat building, early today killed his wife by nearly severing her head from her body with a razor. He then attempted to kill himself. He cannot recover.

Lillian Colby, their daughter, aged 19, said that when she and her mother were dressing early in the morning her father had proposed that they all die together, saying he would turn on the gas. Trouble over property transactions is said to have prompted the deed.

ROBBER GETS DIMES

Owner of Toy Bank Reports Loss to Police.

Peter Cline of 652 Linden street smilingly reported a bank robbery this morning which for a time had the police department on the qui vive, but after Cline had finished with his report it was learned that the bank was merely a toy concern which had been robbed of $20 in dimes. When he appeared at police headquarters he said:

"Say, Cap, I want to report a bank robbery."

"O. K., but let it slide quick so that we can get to work," was the reply.

"Here it is. A small iron safe in my home was broken out for $20 in dimes," he said. "As a result it may be that I will get a Christmas present from my younger brother, as he is about the only one outside of myself who knew where the bank was kept."

The detectives who had been called to look into the bank robbery were sent on other details.

AUCTION SALE.

The sale of Japanese goods and toys will be continued Saturday, December 14, at 7:30 p. m., at 1007 Clay street, near Eleventh, Oakland.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

ADMIRAL EVANS GIVES ORDER TO START

Arrange Last Details for Presidential Review on Monday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—President Roosevelt was formally notified today that the Atlantic battleship fleet, assembled in Hampton Roads, is in readiness to proceed on its cruise to the Pacific Coast.

OLD POINT COMFORT, Va., Dec. 13.—The admirals of the four divisions and captains of the sixteen ships of the Pacific-bound Atlantic fleet are busy today in arranging the last details of the presidential review, which on Monday morning will precede the departure of the vessels of war through the Virginia capes. The officers have taken from their library shelves the navy's "old tactical signal book" and are renewing their memory of its directions as to the passing in review.

Admiral Evans, commanding, has issued

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MRS. M'KEE RANKIN IS GIVEN A GREAT BENEFIT

Noted Players Give Performance That Nets Her $7500.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—An enormous audience gathered at the Broadway Theater yesterday for the benefit tendered to

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BABY KILLED BY FALL FROM PORCH

ALAMEDA, Dec. 13.—Lorena Abalos, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Abalos of 1206 Post street, died this morning from a fractured skull, the result of a fall of ten feet from the porch of her home into the garden. While playing on the porch a few days ago, with some little companions, the child fell and it was a few minutes before the accident was discovered. Physicians were called, but the child's skull had been fractured and there was no chance of saving her life.

LURES GIRL TO ATTACK IN PARK

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Exclaiming that she was beguiled by a man who offered to secure her employmen and lured to Golden Gate Park, where he attacked her, Nora McInerney of 641-A Natoma street, a sixteen-year-old school girl, excitedly rushed into the Park police station at 5 o'clock last night and reported the affair to Policeman John W. Malcolm.

According to the girl, she was waiting for a car near Prager's store on Market street about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon when a well-dressed young man wearing a light overcoat approached and asked if she were looking for a position. She replied that she had been endeavoring to secure employment, and he told her that he knew of a place near the end of the Eddy street car line where she could obtain a position.

PUT GAG IN MOUTH.

She accordingly accompanied him, the two taking the Eddy street car and riding to the terminal at the Chutes. She says the man then took her about fifty feet into the enclosure of Golden Gate Park, and stuffing a handkerchief in her mouth, attempted to throw her down.

She avers that she screamed and struggled until her mouth bled, and the per-

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ROBS SALOON AT REVOLVER'S POINT

Masked Thug Threatens the Life of Occupants and Escapes.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The short robber who has been operating along the water front for several weeks, was again heard from last night when, with his customary mask covering the lower part of his face and with an ugly-looking bulldog revolver in his hand, he entered the saloon of Frank Ernberg, at 251 Steuart street, and ordered the proprietor and one occupant to stand and deliver.

The man then emptied the till of $7.50 and made a movement as though he intended to search the pockets of the two inmates. He seemed to think better of it, however, and, backing to the door, he left with a parting warning to Ernberg not to make any outcry.

The proprietor immediately ran to the front door, and, blowing a police whistle, summoned Officer William Erickson, who made a search for the robber, but did not succeed in landing him.

MAN BURNS TO DEATH, FIREMEN BLAME POLICE

Were Told Blazing House Was Vacant and Fail in Work of Rescue.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—While the firemen labored to extinguish a fire and save the horses from a stable in East Ninth street this morning, one man was burned to death and another man and a woman narrowly escaped death from suffocation in a house in the rear of the stable. The firemen declare they were told by the police that the house was vacant. The stable, a small structure containing nine horses, was practically destroyed with its contents when Fire Chief Croker was notified that there were persons in the building behind the stable, the lower

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SUNDAY CLOSING STIRS UP STORM

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—At a stormy meeting of the executive committee of the United Societies last night it was decided to take no part in the fight against Sunday closing of saloons.

The fight over Sunday closing caused intense bitterness among the representatives of the United Societies. Over 100 delegates representing various societies abruptly left the hall after protesting against being called, as they said, to consider the Sunday closing proposition and then not have a chance to vote on it.

KIDNAPED: $1000 Reward for Capture of Men Who Stole Girl

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—A reward of $1000 is guaranteed by Alderman M. C. Cold for the capture of the kidnapers of Lillian Wulff, a young girl who was stolen from last Saturday. The announcement that the reward to stimulate the quest for the child would be raised to $1000 was made by the alderman last night, after he had procured more than $200 in subscriptions in the city hall. Other influential residents in the neighborhood of the girls' home are also interested and further subscriptions will be obtained today.

No definite trace of the supposed kidnapers has been found, although the police have been busy working on various clews.

VICTIMS: 320 Bodies Recovered From Mine; Work of Explorations Ceases

MONONGAH, W. Va., Dec. 13.—State Mine Inspector Paul, of West Virginia, is making a thorough examination of mines numbers six and eight today. Until Mr. Paul concludes his investigation all other work at the mines has been suspended.

Explorations were stopped last night, at which time a total of 320 bodies had been recovered.

The results of the house census taken by the company shows that 338 men are missing, which leaves eighteen bodies in the mine, according to the company's estimate. In addition, however, a number of contractors and men hired by the contractors are believed to have been in the mines when the explosion occurred.

Coroner Ames announced today that the inquest will begin Tuesday.

EXTRAORDINARY AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions from Goldwater Loan Office Company of 341 Broadway to sell at our auction rooms, 1007 Clay street, near Eleventh, Oakland, on Saturday, December 14, at 1:30 a. m., the unredeemed pledges of 1906 and 1907 to the highest and best bidder, comprising in part: Watches, diamonds, jewelry, sealskins, fire arms, etc., etc. Every article will be guaranteed as represented. Open for inspection Saturday morning.

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Oakland, the City of Promise---Why? See THE TRIBUNE Annual, Sunday, Dec. 22

$200,000 BAIL FOR BROWN AND BARTNETT

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protect us from all harm, we would like to enjoy the fresh air until 2 o'clock this afternoon

The demand of Cook for an increase in the bail came as a thunderbolt to Bartnett. It was totally unexpected by either Brown's or Bartnett's attorneys. They practically admitted that it would be absolutely impossible to raise the amount. Before court convened Hiram Johnson stated it was impossible to secure the $?0,000 bail for Brown and that he would have to remain in jail. When the increase was asked for he merely sought to secure his client a few hours liberty the last, perhaps, that the frenzied financier may enjoy for many years to come

DEMANDS HIGHER BAIL

When court convened at 10:4? Assistant District Attorney William Hoff Cook stated that the cases of J Dalzell Brown and W J Bartnett were on the calendar

From a personal investigation which I have made [illegible]

HINTS AT EVIDENCE

Now [illegible] that he was not required [illegible] a case of this kind

See [illegible] dge I mine was about to [illegible] le against [illegible] Bartnett be [illegible] as d unle his old bond [illegible] someone who would be willing to put up the extra $12,000. Cook did not appear to like this proposal for and Cooper hastily said that if the prosecution desired it a detective could accompany Bartnett.

Cook jumped at this suggestion and detailed Detective [illegible] to be with Bartnett until [illegible]

TRIES TO JOKE

"Bartnett w[illegible] not le[illegible] custody," said Cook to the detective, "but you will remain with him."

"Yes, as I expressed," replied Attorney Cooper. "Bartnett will not see the humor of the situation which caused a smile from those in the courtroom. Brown was delighted at the thought of seeing at least a few hours freedom from the jail. He was nattily attired in a dark suit and [illegible] and wore his perpetual smile. When Johnson secured his freedom from the jail for the [illegible] space that it's the smile on Brown's face was broad and permanent.

From the time of his arrival in court in charge of Detectives Driscoll and [illegible] Brown chatted with Hiram Johnson. He passed by his former associate in [illegible] but there was no greeting exchanged. Bartnett looked the other way as Brown passed.

The courtroom was well filled. Attorneys Pardee, Henley and Crittenden, Thornton were representing the owners of the Colton bonds and the woman who has filed the five million dollar suit were present

TREADWELL IN COURT

James Treadwell the Alaska mining man who is alleged to have borrowed more than two million from the bank on dubious securities and D H Frey who had been subpoenaed as witnesses were in attendance

When [illegible] Prosecutor Cook was reticent concerning what the evidence in his possession which had lead to his demand for the increased bail. He admitted that most of his additional information had been secured from David Walker, president of the defunct bank at a conference held yesterday. That several other officers of the bank [illegible] would be involved in the financial [illegible] was also intimated. Mr Cook stated that Walker's confession had gone into the methods of the bank [illegible] and that the District Attorney's office was now completely informed [illegible] every detail of the [illegible]. The names of Secretary James Conning and Assistant Secretary John Dalzell Robinson, a foster brother of J Dalzell Brown are being mentioned as the next two slated to join Brown and Bartnett in jail. Robinson's whereabouts are as yet unknown. Rumor has it that he has taken time [illegible] the foreign [illegible] in imitation of 'Big Jim' has headed for parts unknown.

Conning is at his home suffering from nervous prostration. District Attorney Cook this morning produced a doctor's certificate showing that Conning is unable to leave his [illegible] had been subpoenaed to appear in the case as a witness

HEARING GOES OVER

After the matter of bail had been discussed it was agreed that the preliminary hearing in both Brown's and Bartnett's case would go over [illegible]. Cook first asked [illegible] the prosecution was not as yet ready to proceed. The defense [illegible] cases agreed. Cook stated positively that additional warrants in connection with the bank failure will be issued shortly but refused to say for whom

Full Confession Made By President Walker Implicates Officials

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—David F Walker president of the suspended California Safe Deposit and Trust Company made a full confession yesterday [illegible] District Attorney's office. It is said that [illegible] involve not only W J Bartnett and J Dalzell Brown but other [illegible] of the bank.

Among the latter it is said is John Dalzell Robertson a foster brother of [illegible] and assistant secretary of the [illegible]. His home at 1306 Greenwich street has been locked up since Sunday [illegible]. The depositors committee has instituted a search for the missing man

Walker declared in his examination that he had no idea that the affairs of the bank were in such wretched shape until the crash came. He had placed implicit confidence in Brown and Bartnett, he said and left all details of the active management of the bank in their hands. The papers he would sign, and in many instances the telegrams he would send east on affairs in connection with the bank were almost invariably prepared by Brown or Bartnett he said

"Would you not know the nature of these papers or messages?" asked Prosecutor Cook

"Sometimes I would not" admitted Walker. "They would come up in the press of the day's work and I would simply glance over them casually and regard them as so much routine

Q—When did you become connected with the bank? A—I first became connected as a director and was then elected as its president in 1905

Q—Who got you in the bank? A—I became connected with it on the solicitation of W J Bartnett. It was understood that I was not to devote all of my time to its affairs. I was merely to act as president

BROWN HAD FULL CHARGE

Q—Who had the largest share in directing the affairs of the bank? A—J Dalzell Brown appeared to. He was connected with the bank before I was and virtually had charge of everything with Bartnett

Walker went on to tell how he had gone to New York to meet Bartnett and that it was while he was there that he received a telegram telling of the suspension of the bank

"Only a few days prior to this I had received letters from Brown telling me that everything was going along fine at the bank" said Walker. "When I returned from the East with Bartnett I [illegible] an [illegible] plan for the rehabilitation of the bank with enthusiasm. I had great [illegible] that it could be reopened and it was not until a day or so before [illegible] I discovered how impossible it was to do this

Walker's confession involves other officers of the bank besides Bartnett and Brown said Prosecutor William Hoff Cook who conducted his examination. It reveals the most reckless kind of management of the bank and will assist materially in prosecuting the persons responsible for the wreck

Much of Walker's testimony was corroborative of evidence already in our possession but it is of a very important character for the reason that it will aid us in proceedings against the officers under banking laws

List of Securities of Colton Estate Which Were in Bank's Trust

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—A list of the assets of the Colton estate as they existed a year ago when the securities were deposited with the California Safe Deposit & Trust Company and a table showing their par value and normal market value is as follows

	Par Value	Market Value
10 bonds Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe R R	$10 000	$10 000
4 bonds Newport News shipbuilding and dry dock company	4 000	3 ?00
10 bonds Baltimore and Ohio R R	10 000	10 1?0
30 bonds Chesapeake and Ohio R R	30 000	31 ?50
10 bonds Northern Pacific Railway	10 000	10 375
5 bonds Contra Costa Water Company	5 000	5 300
?? bonds Northern Pacific Great Northern R R	?? 000	26 000
10 bonds Norfolk and Western Railway	10 000	10 000
1?? bonds Western Pacific Railroad	100 000	9? ?50
Total	$?0? 000	$?04 ?0
1?0 shares San Francisco Gas Electric Company		$7 000
1?0 shares San Francisco Gas Light Company		?60
1?? shares American Smelting and Refining Company		1? 0?5
?? shares Spring Valley Water Company		? ?00
?00 shares Ione Coal and Iron Company		60 000
1?0 shares Queen Mining Co		nominal
?0 shares Alabama Mining Co		nominal
??? shares Consolidated Amador Mining Company		nominal
4?? shares Los Pristos Mining Company		nominal
Total		$89 812
CASH		
Cash with German Savings and Loan Society San Francisco		$93 08
Cash with Wells Fargo Nevada National Bank San Fran		3 404 58
Cash with Bank of California, San Francisco		1 260 18
Cash with California Safe Deposit & Trust Company term account		71 4?8 23
Cash with California Safe Deposit & Trust Company current account		20 499 73
Total		$98 716 70
		Value
Real property in Santa Cruz Cal		$6 00?
Personal property in Santa Cruz Cal		1 000

Depositors Appoint a Committee to Inspect Citizens' Bank Affairs

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—Depositors of the suspended Citizens Bank had R T Ragland president of the institution on the carpet before them yesterday and as a result of his answers which they deemed unsatisfactory appointed a committee of five to investigate the affairs of the bank. The following were appointed on the committee A M Alexander, Geo M Nelson, Charles W Polk, S G Swartt and A C Vogt. Ragland admitted that he had not been as careful with the money of the depositors as he should have been but he failed to give a clear account of the disposition made of the funds

Organization Formed By 2000 Depositors of Suspended Institution

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—Depositors of the suspended California Safe Deposit and Trust Company 2000 in number, formed themselves into a permanent organization last night for the purpose of collecting their claims against the institution.

By a practically unanimous ratification of the report of the provisional committee of 15 which was appointed at a former meeting the depositors authorized the appointment of a permanent committee to consist of twenty one members to be appointed by Judge Cook, who was named as the chairman of the permanent committee acting with J W Raphael, Mme Sorbier, J A Johnson and T H McCarthy the four vice chairmen appointed at the same time

Under the scheme proposed by the chairman this committee is to consider the ways and means of collecting the various claims of the depositors and lay a general plan before the entire body of depositors when they are again called by the chair

J A Moisant was appointed secretary on the recommendation of the committee of 18 and A J Fon was named as treasurer

At a meeting of a committee of the stockholders yesterday a plan somewhat different from that proposed by the depositors was suggested. The plan advocated by the stockholders contemplates the creation of a $6 000 000 corporation to take over the property of the defunct bank. It is proposed that the depositors take 60 per cent of their claims in the form of stock following the general lines of the reorganization plan of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company. The plan also calls for the election of a complete new board of directors. By this method the stockholders hope to reach common ground with the depositors

Locating of Missing Colton Securities Is Proving a Hard Task

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—Search for the missing Colton estate securities is still going on. Barclay Henley, Crittenden Thornton and J J Riley attorneys for the contestants of the will of the late Ellen M Colton conducting the search. Riley searched in Oakland yesterday while Henley tried to run down the securities here. Thornton went to the city prison and interviewed J Dalzell Brown. He said after this interview

Tomorrow I shall probably be able to answer an important question which I asked J Dalzell Brown in the presence of the chief of police at the city prison this morning. No I refuse to say at this time what the question was. Brown did not answer it satisfactorily but by tomorrow I think I can add some facts to the present muddled condition of affairs in connection with the missing Colton estate securities which will come as a great surprise and shock to everybody interested. Any further statement on my part at this time would be premature

Some of the missing securities it is said have been found but the discovery of the whereabouts of others is proving an arduous task

Large Property-Owner Of Berkeley Is Among Losers in Bank Crash

BERKELEY Dec 13—F J Kelly of 1? Milvia street, a large property owner of Berkeley lost $13 000 in the California Safe Deposit & Trust Company of San Francisco. He deposited this money the day before the bank closed. He deposited the money intending to pay off mortgages with it

He said in speaking of the matter: Yes I lost considerable hard earned money. I feel that if I get a small part of my money back I will be in luck. For my part I think I [illegible] the settlement of some of the other depositors. I would be willing to wait quite a while if I thought it possible to get a return of the whole or a large part of the deposit. I do not favor putting it in the hands of a receiver

STEALS WOMAN'S MONEY SATCHEL IN S P DEPOT

(Special to The Tribune)

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 1?—While Mrs Alex[illegible] of [illegible] Contra Costa county was checking her trunk in the Southern Pacific baggage room in the ferry depot this evening a thief succeeded in getting away with her satchel which she had placed at her side and which contained a draft for $40

The draft had been made out by Smith & Sheldon [illegible] of Second and Market streets Oakland and was drawn on a bank the name of which Mrs Alexson did not remember

The police have every hope of landing the rogue

BREAKS HIS LEG IN FALL FROM TROLLEY

(Special to The Tribune)

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—George Gobey an employe of the United States Mint living at 3?3 Page street was hurled off a Haight street car at the corner of Webster at an early hour this morning and received a broken leg

Coley was about to alight from the car when the motorman started up suddenly throwing the man with great force to the street. He was picked up and taken to the Harbor Emergency Hospital where Dr Pinkham set the injured member

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GIVES MASQUERADE PARTY 'NEATH CHRISTMAS TREE

YOUNG PEOPLE ENTERTAINED

Miss Eileen Van Pelt gave a masquerade party recently to a number of her school friends at her home in Peralta Heights. It was a very jolly affair. The evening was passed in dancing and playing games. The house was decorated with holly. A Christmas tree was one of the evening's features

Those invited were Miss Allene Bartness, Marguerite Shear, Barbara McKenzie, Dorothy Shear, Frances Williams, Florence Camp, Zada Cox, Ada Laurie Sherling, Geneva Griswold, Agnes Wells, Anita Van Pelt, Alice Sandford, Eileen Van Pelt, Grant Lohman, Raymond Grey, Alfred Mills, Arthur Baker, Stanley Smillie, Mills Hoff, Hector McKenzie, Earl Cook, Edward Blodgett, Loyal Roe, Edwin Griswold and Edward Davison

MISS EILEEN VAN PELT

Friday 13

(By T P MAGILLIGAN)

Let's us all to bold Skiddoo
Pay our debts without ado
For it is his birthday bright
So let us of it not make light

Good morning Mr Skiddoo

You may not know who Mr Skiddoo is but this happens to be his birthday so we might as well bid him welcome to our fair city

If you don't think it's Mr Skiddoo's birthday just look at the calendar

This is Friday and the 13th. Zounds This day Mr Skiddoo makes his appearance out of the land of the Titjak and in his entourage will be noted Akhoond of Swat

While Mr Skiddoo is about it's bad business to do anything. Don't invest money today and don't go hunting for trouble for you're liable to find it and Skiddoo is liable to get you if don't watch out

Cockey O'Brien the venerable savant of the Rue de Fillmore says that he consulted the stars and moon through the bottom of a beer glass this morning and that it was a [illegible] aspect that they wore

According to Professor O'Brien's neatest calculation Mr Skiddoo is twenty three years old today. Cockey drew a horoscope for the benefit of mankind this morning. He advises all to be careful of investments save in frankfurters which he says any speculator may plunge in without fear of anything worse than dyspepsia

The distinguished Professor O'Brien also advises against taking long journeys on this day. He says it's liable to make your feet sore

The same distinguished authority on Skiddoo astronomy also advises all to be careful of making love today. He says that by the moon it is too near Christmas for such trivialities

Just where Skiddoo was born the distinguished Professor O'Brien has failed to discover. He called a learned body of scholars including the notable Professors Two by Six Colby and Box Car McGinty into consultation and they searched maps and charts for a clue

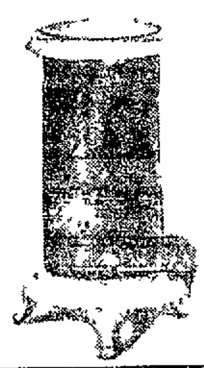
The learned savants lean to the opinion that Skiddoo was born at the Saratoga race track in New York on the same day when that body ruled that twenty two horses was all that could start in any one race and that the twenty third one was Skiddoo

But anyhow today is Skiddoo's birthday and you'd better be careful else he may get you if you don't watch out

BLACK JACK USED BY ROBBER ON VICTIM

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—Thomas Oales a painter living at 2?3 Eleventh avenue [illegible] was held up and robbed by a holdup man who carried a black jack on [illegible] street near Fillmore at 2:30 o'clock this morning

Oales claims that the man stepped out upon him from the darkness of a doorway and after striking him over the head relieved him of $?? in coin and a gold watch and chain

Gas Heater

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It's one of our marvelous Removal Sale Specials
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BURNS MORE AIR AND LESS GAS THAN ANY OTHER MAKE
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'KING OF TRAMPS' ON MISSION OF REFORM

NEW YORK—Benjamin T Rett[illegible] known as the King of the Wandering Knights has arrived in New York. Although he calls himself a professional tramp he came direct from Chicago and unlike Weston the walker he rode

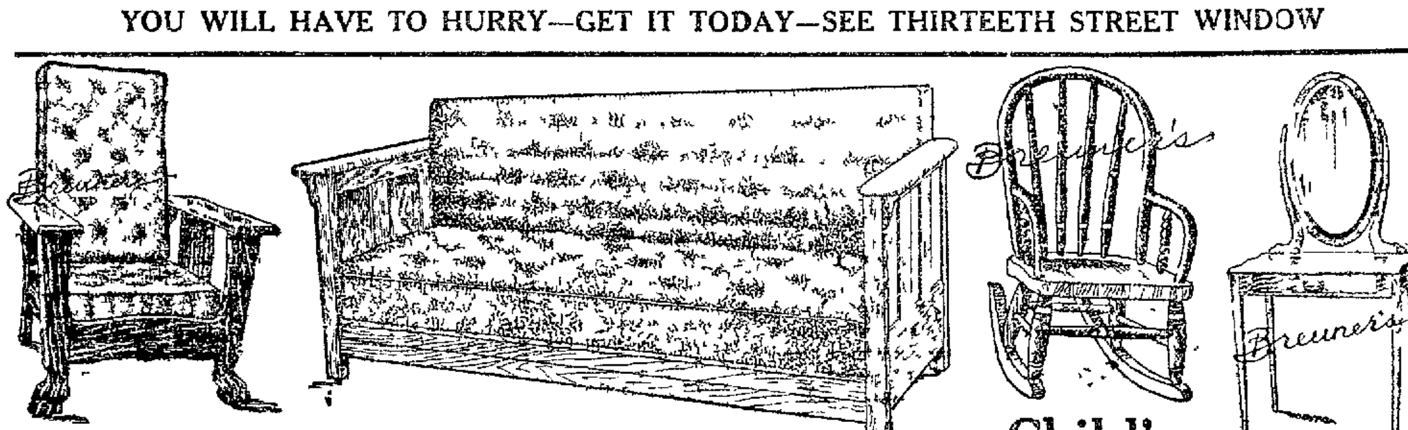
His object in coming to New York is to look over the tramps and hoboes and ascertain what sort of treatment this city is affording them. He is now [illegible] wants to do all he can for his wandering fellows

He has made an active [illegible] of these men who [illegible] and having saved him [illegible] his mission is to do the same for them

He will remain [illegible] for a few weeks during which time he will give [illegible] heart to heart talk

A [illegible] royal army [illegible]

SELECT YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT GUMP'S
The entire art world, both European and Oriental, has been ransacked to make our stock the most complete and attractive ever gathered in San Francisco. China Glassware, Bronzes, Pictures and Marbles, all offer practical suggestions for the holidays. Inspection and comparison of prices is invited
OPEN EVENINGS
1645 California Street Just Below Van Ness

$1500 Set Saturday $1000
THE PRICE IS GOING DOWN, DOWN, DOWN
Who is going to get that beautiful mahogany bed room suit? That is the question that is uppermost in the minds of Oakland's Christmas shoppers. Every day we take $100 off of the purchase price. Today it is $1100, and Saturday $1000 if not sold in the meantime. It is the most beautiful suite of furniture ever shown in Oakland—furniture that is fit for a king. Will Santa Claus bring it to your home?
YOU WILL HAVE TO HURRY—GET IT TODAY—SEE THIRTEETH STREET WINDOW

Morris Chair
Here's a big chair for daddy. The one shown in picture above has broad deep seat and wide arms; frame is made of mahogany finish, hand carved claw feet, reversible velour cushions. At Breuner's $17.20
Bed Davenport
The most serviceable piece of furniture invented since the Morris Chair. A parlor Davenport during the day and a full size bed at night. The Davenport shown above is made of plain straight lines of solid golden oak upholstered in velour. At Breuner's $35.80
Child's Rocker
The little one must have it's easy chair. The rocker shown above is rigidly built for rough usage. Exactly as shown in picture. At Breuner's 95c
Dressing Table
A dainty and useful piece of furniture for the boudoir. It will gladden the heart of any woman. This dressing table is made of solid oak golden finish, graceful design, bevel plate mirror, hand-carved stanchions etc. At Breuner's $17.45
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Order S.P. Foremen to Doff Boiled Shirts and Stiff Hats While Working

Yesterday afternoon the Southern Pacific Company issued an order, in the form of circulars, to foremen and tallymen in the company's lumber yards in West Oakland that in the future they would not be permitted to wear stiff hats, white shirts or starched collars while on duty It is said this order will go into effect in all mechanical departments of the railroad company in the near future. It is said that the boiled shirts and stiff hats have been tabooed because of complaints of the laborers to the effect that the tallymen and foremen had been "lording it" over them, causing dissension in the ranks Another reported reason for the change is that with the new order of things the under employes will not be sure who their boss is and will in consequence always keep busy to prevent any chances of being caught shirking At any rate, a Southern Pacific boss in the future will be a boss in name only, not in appearance

TO TEST LICENSE LAW'S VALIDITY

Employe Arrested When Employer Refuses to Pay Tax on Business.

N P Allen wagon driver for the J M Watson Coat and Towel Company who refused to take out a license to do business on the ground that it was unconstitutional to tax a man to live, was arrested today by City License Inspector W A J Frank and charged at the city prison with violation of the ordinance regulating licenses

Frank said this morning that Watson has been instructed to take out a license, but has refused to comply with the order, it having been steadfastly declared by him that a man should be allowed to carry on business without having to pay for it and that the collection or imposing of any license was unconstitutional It is estimated that Watson will test the constitutionality of the license law

HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONS TO MEET IN DEBATE

Lowell and Berkeley Students to Contest for Honors.

Debaters from Lowell High School of San Francisco will meet debaters from the Berkeley High School tomorrow Saturday evening December 14th The question is Resolved That the standing army of the United States should be increased to a permanent force of 200 000 men Berkeley supports the affirmative and Lowell the negative

The Berkeley team consists of Percy Wisecarver Chancellor Grady and Aubrey Drury The Lowell team is composed of Lyman Crimes Milton Marks and Louis Goodman with Jack Betinecourt as alternate Newton Drury of the Berkeley High School Forum will be the temporary chairman, and Eugene B Block of Lowell will act as chairman of the evening

The judges of the debate will be Judge Henry A Melvin, Judge Frank H Dunne and Prof W S Andrews The debate is to be held in the Assembly Hall of the Berkeley High School, corner of Grove street and Allston way, Berkeley The public is invited

SIXTY WANT TO BE POLICEMEN

Large Class to Take Examination For Half Dozen Vacancies.

Tomorrow afternoon examinations of applicants for appointment to the police force will be held by the Board of Police Commissioners Sixty applications for examination have been filed with the clerk of the board Five or six men will be appointed to the force out of this number Five new men are allowed under a recent act of the City Council and another man is to be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John O Malley

Chief of Police Wilson is of the opinion that a vacancy was caused when the position of Captain of Detectives was created and he will ask for the appointment of another man to fill this vacancy At a future meeting of the board the advisability of appointing extra sergeants, detectives and another day Captain for outside duty, will be discussed Owing to the increase of the police work because of the recent growth of the city of Oakland, other such officers are badly needed

REMAINS OF SWEDISH KING ARE NOW LYING IN STATE

Body Reposes in Admiral's Uniform at Castle.

STOCKHOLM, Dec 13—The body of King Oscar of Sweden who died December 8 is today lying in state in the chapel of the royal castle Teh body is clothed in an admiral's uniform The catafalque has been made into a bower of beautiful flowers

COULDN'T BE BLUFFED

A correspondent sends in the following account of an incident which occurred in his presence in a Kentucky courtroom

Under the laws of Kentucky the penalty for gaming is a fine of from $20 to $50 Judge W W Jones was holding a term of Circuit Court and when the case of the commonwealth of Kentucky against Daniel Cross was called he asked Daniel if he had a lawyer to defend him Daniel said he had not, and Judge Jones asked him what he wanted to do about his case which was a charge of gaming "I don't know, hardly judge" said Daniel "I thought I would just pay it off" "Were you actually playing?" said the judge "I guess we were" Daniel replied "About how much were you playing for, Daniel" the judge asked "O nothing much" said Daniel "Just a nickel or dime on the corner" "Well Daniel" said the judge "I will see your dime and raise you twenty dollars" Daniel looked rather crestfallen for a moment but catching the force of the judge's remark, he quickly looked up at the judge and said "Well judge I am satisfied that you have got me beat so I'll not raise you but I guess I will have to call you —Law Notes

VIRTUE OF EXERCISE

Do you ever see a woman with her ears covered no matter how cold it is? Do you ever hear of a woman having her ears frozen?

Well it isn't because women's ears are made of something different Not at all It is because they use their ears and the exercise keeps them warm A woman hears everything—New York World

A Christmas remembrance could not be found that more gracefully compliments the recipient than

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CHRISTMAS BUT ELEVEN DAYS AWAY

WHAT SHALL I GIVE THEM?

A SUBSTANTIAL PIECE OF FURNITURE

THAT'S THE BEST—IT LASTS A LIFETIME

BUT BUY IT HERE---AT ACTUAL COST

From now on until Christmas we will sell our Furniture at cost and as a further inducement we will give you a valuable coupon free with each dollar spent here—entitling you to share in the grand drawing on Christmas eve, December 24th, when the following prizes will be given away.

$1500 WORTH OF FURNITURE GIVEN AWAY. READ THIS LIST.

FREE PRIZES FREE PRIZES FREE PRIZES FREE

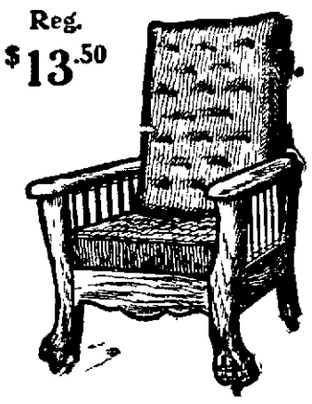
1st Prize Value $45—Morris Chair, solid oak, genuine Spanish leather cushions.
2nd Prize Value $20—Rocker, solid 1-4 sawed oak, upholstered in genuine leather.
3rd Prize Value $35—Sideboard, solid oak, French plate mirror.
4th Prize Value $30—Solid Oak Dresser, hand carved.
5th Prize, Value $10—Roomy and Strong Willow Rocker.
6th Prize, Value $10—Golden Oak Rocker, Highly Polished.

DROP YOUR COUPONS IN OUR BALLOT BOX.

SELECT YOUR GIFTS FROM THESE BEAUTIFUL PIECES OF FURNITURE---SEE HOW MUCH YOU SAVE ON EACH ARTICLE

FOR FATHER A

Reg. $13.50



Morris Chair

SPECIAL

$8.50

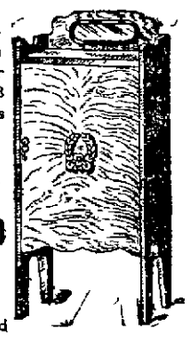
SOLID OAK IN EITHER GOLDEN OR WEATHERED, OAK FINISH. Upholstered in green velour, spring seat, heavy carved legs

FOR MOTHER

Music Cabinet

Handsomely and beautifully inlaid in mahogany or Golden Oak, 3 feet 8 inches high.

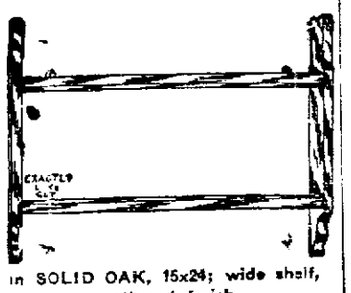
Special $7.50



Regularly sold for $13 50.

FOR THAT BOY

An Oak Bookshelf



in SOLID OAK, 15x24; wide shelf, weathered finish.

Special $1.25 Reg $3.50.

For the House

Solid Oak Towel Rack

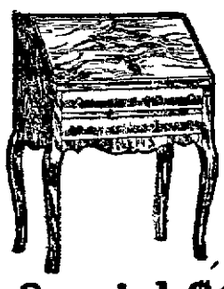
24x14—7x9 Plate Mirror, finished in weathered oak; very strongly made, towel bar under shelf.

Special - $1.25

REGULAR $3.50

For the Young Lady

Handsome Desk



Solid Mahogany. Golden Oak or Birdseye Maple.

Special $6.50

REGULAR $13.00

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The entire stock of our San Pablo Avenue store will be placed on sale in our two stores, No. 965 Washington St., and No. 58 San Pablo Ave., regardless of cost.

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Net and Lace Waists

Cream and Ecru Valenciennes Lace and Medallion Trimmed and Silk Lined, in beautiful designs, open in back, short sleeves.

$ 5.50 Values Reduced to $3.45
6.00 Values Reduced to 3.65
6.50 Values Reduced to 3.85
7.00 Values Reduced to 4.95
8.00 Values Reduced to 5.35
8.50 Values Reduced to 5.65
9.50 Values Reduced to 6.75
15.00 Values Reduced to 9.95

Silk Kimonos

Fine Silk and Satin Kimonos with nice large designs, trimmed with satin on both sides and bottom, in all colors.

Reg. $3.25 Short Silk Kimonos; sale $2.45
Reg. 4.00 Short Satin Kimonos; sale 2.45
Reg. 6.50 Long Silk Kimonos; sale 4.85
Reg. 7.50 Long Satin Kimonos; sale 4.85

Flannel Kimonos

Reg. $1.25 Short Kimono, satin trimmed on both sides; sale 90c
Reg. $2.50 Long Kimono, satin trimmed on both sides; sale $1.85

Corset Covers

Extra fine France Lawn and Nainsook Corset Covers, trimmed with finest French Embroidery and Valenciennes Lace in back and front.

Reg. 50c.....Sale 35c
Reg. 65c.....Sale 45c
Reg. 85c.....Sale 60c
Reg. $1.00 .....Sale 75c
Reg. 1.15 .... Sale 85c
Reg. 1.25 .....Sale 95c
Reg. $1.50 .....Sale $1.15
Reg. 1.75 .... Sale 1.35
Reg. 2.00 .... Sale 1.50
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Reg. 2.75 .... Sale 2.15
Reg. 3.00 .....Sale 2.25

Fancy Collars

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Reg. 75c.....Sale 45c
Reg. 50c ..... Sale 25c
Reg. $1.00 .... Sale 50c

Extra Value of Woolen Waists

Reg. $2.00, large tucked, opened front; sale $1.50
Reg. 2.25, fine tucked, opened back; sale 1.65
Reg. 3.50, emb. front, opened back; sale 2.65
Reg. 4.50, emb. front, opened back; sale 3.15

Sale Will Continue Till Holidays

965 Washington Street

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58 San Pablo Avenue

Kill Eleven Bears in Thirteen-Day Hunting Trip in Trinity County.

Eleven bear in thirteen days, and two of them killed by 16-year-old Gilbert Rideau, was the record made by the Serril W. Winsor hunting party two weeks ago near Sulphur Springs, Trinity county. One of the bear shot by the lad was a brown cinnamon and measured six and half feet from tip to tip. Walker Goe, bear-tracker and member of the party, said it was one of the largest shot in the county for several years. The boy used a 25-35 Winchester. The country around Sulphur Springs where Winsor has his log clubhouse, is still in a primeval state. The bear were tracked by trained dogs and then treed. Winsor is president and manager of the California Pottery Works. He intends to mount all the hides.

ORCHARD ENDS IN PETTIBONE CASE

Nearly Collapses When Asked as to His Enmity Against His Alleged Victims.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 13.—Harry Orchard concluded his direct testimony in the Pettibone trial this morning with a narration of his arrest, imprisonment and confession. He said he was placed under arrest the afternoon after the murder of Governor Steunenberg by Sheriff Nichols, but was allowed to remain in the hotel until the following day, when he was put in jail. In the meantime, he said, he destroyed the letters he had on his person, including one from Jack Simpson and one from Pettibone.

Orchard said he received a letter from Pettibone after his imprisonment. The letter was not signed, but he said he recognized the handwriting as that of the defendant. He was shown a copy of the letter and identified it, but it was not introduced as evidence at the time. The witness then told of his preliminary hearing, at which he was bound over to the district court and of his conversation with Fred Miller, his attorney, in regard to compensation for his services. The defense objected strenuously to the introduction of this evidence, but it was admitted by the court.

Orchard said he gave Miller an order on Pettibone to pay the attorney all the money he had coming to him.

Orchard was adruptly asked by Hawley how much money he had received from the federation at various times, and he said between $3500 and $4000.

Orchard all but broke down when Hawley asked him if he had any personal enmity against his victims, naming them one by one. In each case he said that he had none. He was especially affected when asked concerning McCormack and Beck at the Vindicator mine, of whom he said he thought a great deal.

ORDERED TO PAY $45 A MONTH ALIMONY

S. M. Willis, private secretary of W. J. Barnett of San Francisco, with the legal adviser of J. Dalzell Brown, manager of the defunct California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, informed Judge Ellsworth today that he was not in a position to pay a large sum of alimony to his wife, Annie M. Willis, who is suing him for divorce.

Willis says that his salary at Barnett's secretary was $112.50 a month and his traveling expenses. He stated that he spent much of his time in New York, and that this made it necessary for him to be absent from his wife. There was community property on both sides, but it was mortgaged. Judge Ellsworth ordered Willis to pay his wife $45 a month alimony pending divorce proceedings. She is suing upon the ground of desertion.

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P. C. Pulse & Co.
N. E. Cor. 13th and Washington Sts.

Oh! Waltz Me Around Again, Benny, Around

Around, around and right up in front of our store windows where you will see the cutest little Doll's set of furniture you ever saw. Only $1.00. Made out of Mission oak, beautifully finished and a positive bargain. Get Dolly a set like grown folks have and from the Holiday Furniture Headquarters—

The OAKLAND FURNITURE Co
532-534 12th St.

SAYS THOMAS CAN NOT HAVE PLACE

Roosevelt Also Declares Name of Merrill Will be Withdrawn From Senate.

(Special to The Tribune.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—It is stated here today that President Roosevelt, after a long consultation with Senators Perkins and Flint and Representative Knowland of California, announced that he would not under any circumstance appoint C. E. Thomas as postmaster at Berkeley, California. The President also stated that the sending of the name of Clarence E. Merrill to the Senate for confirmation had been an inadvertance and that it would be withdrawn. He asked the California delegation to take the matter up among themselves and after a discussion make a recommendation of some person for the position.

PLEAD FOR THOMAS.

Congressman Joseph Knowland, together with Senators Perkins and Flint, did everything they could for the appointment of Charles Thomas. They called on the President and made a strong plea for Thomas' appointment.

President Roosevelt told them that the name of Clarence Merrill had been sent to the Senate by mistake and would be withdrawn.

Congressman Knowland, now that it has been announced that Thomas will not get the appoinment, is carefully considering the situation and is consulting with his constituents to determine what will be bes for the residents of Berkeley and for the efficiency of the postal service in that city.

WANTS EFFICIENCY.

It is Knowland's desire to see that Berkeley is given a first-class postal service and he will continue his investigations with a view to making recommendations.

According to reports from Washington, the reason for the refusal of the President to confirm Thomas' name was not because of any reflection on his character or ability, but because of the standing in Berkeley of those who protested against his appointment.

MERRILL NON-COMMITTAL.

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—"There is nothing much I can say," said Clarence S. Merrill, acting postmaster of Berkeley, this morning when asked by a representative of THE TRIBUNE what he had to say in regard to the latest phase of the postoffice situation.

"Yes, I read the Washington dispatches in the morning papers, and that is all I know of the matter. I have received no official notification, and beyond the newspaper reports have learned nothing. This is a delicate question for me to discuss at this time, and I think it best to adhere to a policy of silence. Of course, the postoffice is the bone of contention, and since the people of Berkeley have seen fit to entrust me with the care of it for the time being, I will continue to talk as little as possible and fulfill my duty to the best of my ability."

REQUESTS DISMISSAL OF SUIT TO RECOVER FUNDS

State Treasurer of Montana Will Retain Interest.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 13.—Attorney General Galen today filed a motion in the district court to dismiss the suit brought by the commonwealth against State Treasurer Rice to recover approximately $40,000, alleged to have been collected and retained by him as interest on deposits of public funds.

The petition sets forth that evidence to convict is unobtainable and that the legislature when it passed the new laws precluding a recurrence of the alleged offense adopted resolutions requiring dismissals on the ground that it had been a time honored custom.

BABY SAVES EIGHT LIVES

Cries of Infant Leads to Rescue of Unconscious Men.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Dec. 13.—The cries of an infant saved the lives of eight persons here early today, but not before the baby's father and brother had been asphyxiated by coal gas. The dead are:

NICHOLAS CONTRAVO, aged 36 years.

JOSEPH, his son, aged 4 years.

Contravo, his wife and his two children slept in one room and six boarders occupied other parts of the house. The escaping coal gas awakened the baby whose cries aroused one of the boarders. He broke down the door of the room occupied by the family and found the father and son dead. He then rescued the mother and baby and aroused the other boarders, who had also been overcome by gas.

Beginning Next Monday
This store will remain open during the evenings till Christmas.

H. C. Capwell Co.
THE LACE HOUSE
12TH AND WASHINGTON STS.
OAKLAND.

20% Discount IS GIVEN ON ALL LADIES' FUR PIECES This inducement is particularly strong when our very reasonable original prices are taken in consideration.

The Store House of Holiday Satisfaction

With Christmas less than two weeks off, this is indeed a busy time---busy for you, busy for us. We want to impress the entire buying public with the one comprehensive fact that this is the store where everybody can obtain satisfaction. This is no time to bother with a lot of details. You have doubtless just about decided what you want to buy and how much you want to pay for it. There is no one for whom you cannot buy a suitable gift in this store. And you can come assured that it will be just what you want and at the right price. It is not uncommon for stores to take advantage of the opportunity to mark up strictly holiday goods. But there is none of that here---a child can buy just as safely as an adult.

THE DOLLIES' WELCOME

To All The Doll-loving Children In Alameda County

If you haven't brought the youngsters to see our doll show and the magnificent display of dainty garments for the dolls wardrobe, they have missed one of the prettiest sights in the city. Without doubt there is the means of creating more happiness in our doll department than in any other department in the store.

RAG DOLLS

These are the dolls the baby can play with; they are indestructible; the coloring won't come off, and if they drop on baby toes neither baby or toe is hurt. They are clothed with pretty polka dot dresses, gingham, plaid, Buster Brown costumes, Red Riding Hood robes, suspender dresses and in a dozen other pretty costumes.....

25c, 50c, 75c and to $2

DRESSED NOVELTY DOLLS

Here are a dozen kinds of Indians, Eskimos, Klondikers, Red Riding Hoods, miners, tennis players with racquets, etc. 25c

Grotesque clown dolls 15c

DRESSED DOLLS

They have the daintiest wardrobes to be seen in any doll-land. These dolls are dressed in accord with the latest American styles, and a brighter looking lot of dolls it would be impossible to find. In their pretty evening costumes and fancy dresses, some of them with tailored opera coats they present a very smart appearance. In fact, there is as much evidence of good taste, style an quality in every article of dress as is to be found in the attire of their human relations.

In this big family of dressed dolls there are all classes of society, as is shown by the many grades.

25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and up to $16.50

TEDDY BEARS

This display includes the entire bear family; cinnamon bears, grizzly bears, polar bears, white bears, black bears—in all sizes from cubs to king bruens—50c, 75c, 85c, $1.00 and to $4.00.

Elephants, African and Indian models—$1.00, $1.75.

BEAUTIFUL DOLLS, TO BE DRESSED

SOME SPECIAL VALUES

If you do not care to make clothes for your doll, you will find in our very complete dolls' dress and lingerie department a display of dainty garments that is absolutely irresistible.

Here are some of the details of our large selection of undressed dolls:

14-in. Kestner dolls, kid body, double-jointed arms and legs, movable eyes; auburn, dark or blonde; little shoes with fancy buckles and all-over lace stockings. Special value $1.00

15-in. Kestner papier-mache doll, full jointed; eyes that close and open; extra value at $1.25

17-in. doll with kid body; double-jointed arms and legs; real eye lashes, and eyes that move. SPECIAL VALUE $1.75

18-in. doll; kid body; fully jointed; eyes of any color, that close and open; any color of hair; SPECIAL VALUE $2.00

22-in. Florodora doll—big as a real new baby; kid body, jointed arms and legs; well made; movable eyes—a special value at $2.00

Other undressed dolls in all grades from 50c to $8.50

DAINTIEST OF DRESSES FOR DOLLS

We've already hinted as to the Beautiful Wardrobes we have secured for dolls. Now for a few details:

Dolls' Smart Sets 3-Pieces to the Set—Dress, Petticoat and Pantalettes. Dolls' Fancy Costumes

Colored Lawn Dresses; neatly trimmed ..... 65c, 75c, 85c and to $2.75 set

Fancy light blue lace trimmed dresses ..... $3.25, $4.25 set

Handsome Point d'Esprit Dresses, all silk costumes, in pink, blue and white ..... $4.50 to $6.50 set

Lawn Suspender Suits, pretty French effects ..... $2.00 to $2.50 set

Daintiest of White Lawn Dresses, elegantly trimmed with lace, embroidery, inserting, ribbon, bows, etc. $2.50, $2.75, $3.00 and to $7.50 set

Teddy Bear suits and baseball suits ..... 50c to 85c

Sailor Suits ..... 65c to $1.25

Rough Rider Suits ..... 65c to $1.00

Football Suits ..... 75c to $1.20

Dolls' Overall Suits ..... 40c to 75c

Dolls' White Lawn Slips ..... 75c to $3.25

Dolls' Long Silk Slips ..... $5.50 to $6.00

Dolls' Crochet Sacques ..... 35c to 85c

Crochet Tam O'Shanters 15c

Doll's Crochet Mittens ..... 15c pair

Dolls' Alpine Caps 10c, 15c

Dolls' Patent Leather Shoes ..... 10c to 45c

Artistic Silver Sets SPECIAL $5.95

This is a magnificent 3-piece set, comb, brush and mirror; made of extra heavy silver finish, beautifully designed, new and exclusive patterns.

Other silver sets—3 pieces— *$5.00, $5.95, and to $12.50*

Artistic Silver Military Brushes, heavily made, unique designs— *$5.00 to $5.50 pair*

Semi-Ready Corset Covers $1.85 each

This is the "Lily White" corset cover pattern, which consists of 1 1-2 yards of embroidered lawn in French blind and eyelet effects, finished with scallop edged top, with enough fancy edging and beading for shoulder straps; price complete $1.85

FANCY LINENS

In one of the large Washington street windows you can see a magnificent display of fancy linens, including all grades and sizes of center pieces, scarves, doilies and embroidered table covers; all degrees of beautiful workmanship, from the 6 inch centerpiece at 25c up to the magnificent Cluny table cover, 72 inches in diameter, at $45.00

GIFT WAIST PATTERNS

For a Christmas present few things are more desirable than a waist pattern of fancy silk or high-grade fancy woolen imported waistings. We have a large number of these patterns put up in fancy boxes. The selection includes something particularly desirable in all colors and many grades.

PROSECUTORS RETURN FROM HUNTING JAUNT

District Attorney Brown and Assistant District Attorney Hynes returned yesterday afternoon from a day's jaunt after ducks at Arden, where they bagged twenty-one. They report that ducks are plentiful in spite of rumors to the contrary.

Every man believes there is a reward laid up in heaven for him, but he is never in a hurry to claim it.

WANTS GUARDIANSHIP OVER HIS SON'S ESTATE

Fred Kahn of Alameda has applied for letters of guardianship upon the estate of his son, Lloyd Kahn, 5 years old. The boy, who was struck by a locomotive September 16 and seriously injured, is about to commence a suit for damages against the Southern Pacific. The guardianship proceedings, it is understood, are preliminary to the filing of the suit.

Some people seem to be afflicted with selfish generosity.

HORSEMAN THREATENS TO END EXISTENCE

John Carroll, one of the best conditioners of horses on the Emeryville track, will be examined before Judge Melvin tomorrow for insanity. The complaining witness is F. Baldwin, who says that Carroll has been morose for several days and yesterday threatened to jump into the bay and end his existence. The examining physicians will be Dr. H. M. Fine and Dr. O. D. Hamlin.

Lots of men are their own Jonahs.

MISSION TO FEED POOR AT CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Whosoever Will Mission is planning to give the poor of Oakland a merry Christmas at its headquarters, 366 Ninth street. Those in charge of the mission are making extensive preparations to relieve especially the men in great distress, and laborers who will be out of work. They feel that this will be a hard winter. One of the officers said:

"Never in nearly seven years' experience have we seen such great distress as we witness night after night. The night after Thanksgiving our workers were compelled to turn 100 poor unfortunate men out into the street at 12 o'clock at night.

We are endeavoring to establish a kindling pile both in San Francisco and Oakland, a place where men can be given temporary remunerative employment sufficient at least to tide them over an enforced idle period.

Part of our efforts will be a dinner to the newsboys and baskets to families wherever we can find the needy poor.

If you wish to help with our efforts, any offering, any donations of clothing, bedding or money will be thankfully received by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Westernberg, who have charge of the work.

COUNCILMEN WAR OVER CITY JOB

"You Keep Quiet; You Don't Know it All," Says Aitken to Mullins.

"You keep quiet, young man You don't know it all and you go too far in what you say, said G E Aitken dean of the city council to Councilman Mullins, the youngest member of that body last night at a meeting of the auditing and finance committee during a renewal of the heated discussion in council two weeks ago over a resolution introduced by Councilman Everhart to take out of committee or immediate action an ordinance creating position of assistant head city gardener who was to get a salary of $110 a month At the time Everhart introduced his resolution President Elliot took the floor and raked Everhardt over the coals accusing him of fathering a political job of shady character Everhardt came back with a warm retort and the ordinance was voted out of committee and was then hurriedly voted back again

VOTE DOWN ORDINANCE

And so it came up again last night in committee and when a vote was put to recommend the ordinance to the council for passage Councilman Pendelton chairman of the committee and Ellsworth and Mullins voted "no" while Everhardt and Aitken voted "ayes" That killed the gardener's ordinance for the time being, but the corpse was resuscitated when Councilman Everhardt gave notice that he would file a minority report and so the whole affair will be rehashed at the regular meeting of the council next Monday night

It was after Mullins had voted against recommending the ordinance for passage and said it didn't appear that the board of works really wanted the gardener that Aitken referred to him as young man and questioned his knowledge of all things concerning the necessity or desirability of creating the proposed position

BOUNDARY MONUMENTS.

The auditing and finance committee recommended to the council a resolution authorizing and directing the city engineer to establish for the use of the city assessor granite and wooden monuments, with necessary covers showing the exact location of the northern and eastern boundary limits of the city of Oakland, also to replace the monument in the crossing at Fourteenth and Broadway

This committee also recommended an ordinance authorizing the board of public works to purchase lots 1 and 3 in block 1 it being the southwest corner of Hopkins street and Thirteenth avenue for the use of the fire department at a cost of $1850 An engine house is to be constructed later on this property

Application of W E Bullock extra-man of Fire Truck No 3 for a ninety days leave of absence from the State was favorably recommended by the committee

Will be found an excellent remedy for sick headache Carter's Little Liver Pills Thousands of letters from people who have used them prove this fact Try them

Big reduction sale in fine Millinery, Miss S F Conniff 468 13th St.

SUGGEST HIGH LICENSE FOR TICKET SCALPERS

Orpheum Manager Asks Council to Protect Theater-Goers.

George Ebey, manager of the Oakland Orpheum appeared before the ordinance and judiciary committee of the city council last night and asked that the theater-going public be protected from ticket scalpers The committee recommended that the matter be referred to the city attorney for an opinion on the passage of an ordinance which would prohibit ticket scalping In all probability a measure will be passed by the council placing a license on ticket scalpers, as it is believed this will be the only way to stop what Ebey declares to be a nuisance The members of the council did not think a legal prohibitive law could be passed

Ebey stated that the theater managemen did not have any personal interest in the passage of laws against scalping but he declared that he only desired to protect the public and prevent the practice of selling tickets at an exorbitant price He stated that no tickets are sold at the box office to those who are known to be scalpers

Chief of Police Wilson declared that it is an annoyance to theater-goers to have a scalper approach them and try to sell them tickets He favored the passage of some law that will prohibit the practice A license of $300 per annum is now imposed in San Francisco

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Little Liver Pills.

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See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

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FOR HEADACHE. FOR DIZZINESS. FOR BILIOUSNESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION

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Price 25 Cents | Purely Vegetable, Brent Good

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

—placing merit before price or price before merit,---either way is well lined with guide posts directing you to **Keller's.**

Different conditions prevailed when this season's goods were selected. **Then, merit** was our sole guide. **Now,** it's **Price.**

Here is clothing as good, as good and honest tailors know how to make at prices unreasonably and unseasonably low,—prices that in **usual** times you could not expect until the end of the season on odds and ends.

—we're not giving anything away with either men's or boys' suits, trusting that our unusual **values** and close prices will appeal more to thoughtful people than turkeys or toys.

—**for years we have been headquarters for men's robes** and **smoking jackets,** this year we maintain our prestige in those lines with a **larger** and **better stock** than ever before, and **prices** this year are **away down.**

Bath Robes, **$3.75** to **$14.00**

Smoking Jackets, **$4.65** to **$12.50**

Sweaters and jerseys for men and boys, vests, mufflers, ties, suspenders, slippers and many other "ornamental as well as **useful**" gifts are here in great profusion.

M. J. Keller Co.

1157-59 Washington Street

MASKED ROBBERS ARE IDENTIFIED

Had Held Up Saloon and Shot a Carpenter Who Refused to Face the Wall.

SACRAMENTO, Dec 13—On suspicion of being the robbers who held up six men in the Columbia cafe, Sixth and J streets and fatally wounded George Smith a Woodland carpenter who resisted them, two men giving the names of Gus Kessler and Fred de Roche, were arrested here yesterday Kessler and de Roche have been identified by Smith and others

It was about 1 o'clock in the morning when two masked men, armed with revolvers, and one carrying a shotgun, entered the saloon They covered the six men in the room with revolvers, and from Jake Moose, one of the managers of the place, took the keys to the safe, which contained about $7000

At that moment Smith came downstairs from a room above When he was told to take his place with the other six men against the wall he sprang upon one of the robbers A scuffle followed and Smith ran out of the saloon As he ran one of the thugs broke the shotgun on his head and the other fired Smith fell to the sidewalk wounded by a bullet which entered his back and pierced a lung

SAYS OLD SOLDIER LIBELLED OFFICERS

SANTA MARIA Dec. 13—Because of charges contained in articles alleged to have been published by John Krip, in which the President of the United States and the national board of managers of the Soldiers' Home were described as "a lot of decayed politicians" Krip has been dishonorably discharged from the home at Sawtelle

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines bonanza farms wide ranges and strange natural formations is a veritable wonderland At Mound City, in the home of Mrs E D Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes, writes Mrs Clapp, "when I began giving Dr King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him" Guaranteed for coughs and colds throat and lung troubles, by Osgood Bros, 7th and Broadway and 12th and Washington, Oakland, druggists. 50c and $1 00. Trial bottle free

LEATHER GOODS.

The largest stock at Bowman's Drug Stores

PLEADS ANNOYANCE BY CAT IN BURGLARY CASE

Landlord Charged With Looting Store Has Novel Excuse.

STOCKTON, Dec 13—A C Durwae, a man worth thousands of dollars and a leader in Socialistic circles of this city, is being tried in the Superior Court here for burglary His residence was located in the rear of a small store which he rented to a tenant of modest means whose line of stock consisted of canned goods fresh vegetables and sundry notions For some time a number of small articles had been missing from the store and suspicion finally rested upon the landlord Officers were kept in hiding about the place awaiting the entrance of the burglar Toward midnight he secured a ladder, placed it against the outer door, climbed over the transom and by means of the shelves descended to the floor As he was about to leave with a number of cans of fruit he was seized by the officers

When placed under arrest he pleaded that he had entered the store to quiet a cat that had been annoying him and that he intended to pay for the fruit the following morning

CREMATORY OFFICERS DECLARE DIVIDEND

At a special meeting of the directors of the Oakland Cremator Association a semi-annual dividend of $1 per share was declared upon the capital stock of the association, payable December 20

DORSAZ—FOR—XMAS.

Photographs—best in town Popular prices—Albany Block 1256 Broadway

AGED BUSINESS MAN IS FOUND GUILTY OF ARSON

Three Men and Twenty Horses Burned to Death by His Act.

SAN JOSE, Dec 13—Aged George W Laverty until May 25 of this year a respected and widely known San Jose business man, was yesterday convicted by a jury in Judge Welch's department of the Superior Court of arson in the first degree Laverty is almost entirely deaf A fire in his livery stable on May 25 destroyed a stock of buggies, harness and other stable furnishings, together with 20 head of horses The blaze was communicated to a lodging house on the upper floor and three men were burned to death The prosecution proved with circumstantial evidence entirely that Laverty was beyond a doubt guilty of the crime as charged Judge Welch set Friday, December 20, as the date for sentence

NOMINATIONS MADE FOR CLUB'S OFFICERS

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—The yearly election of the Iroquois Club takes place this evening at the Arcade building 1430 Fillmore street

The following nominations have been made For president Thos E Hayden for first vice-president A H Barendt and E R Zion for second vice president H C Bocchio for recording secretary W H Williams for corresponding secretary N J Manson for financial secretary J B Gibson for board of trustees (seven), Larry Welch W J Bryan, M C. Hassett, H L Blenfield Jas J Flinn, Thos Pinder Chas Gilden Max Popper, L. V. Merle Louis Metzger

SAYS HUSBAND HAS BEEN CRUEL TO HER

Frances Abaria has filed a suit for divorce against John F Abaria, alleging cruelty She says Abaria ejected her from the house struck her with his fist and called her names

A final decree of divorce for desertion was granted yesterday by Judge Ogden to Lena Deme from August Deme

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure annoy drive one wild Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures Fifty cents at any drug store

HOOKS' SPECIAL LINOLEUM SALE

Ends Tomorrow Evening at 10 o'clock

LAST CHANCE TO GET LINOLEUMS at "Away Down" Prices.

Remember Saturday is the LAST DAY OF THIS SALE

Hook Bros'.

12th St., Bet. B'way and Franklin

Japanese Goods

Send a dainty Japanese Christmas Present to your foreign or Eastern friend.

Brass Vase	50c to $17 50	Satsuma Vase	$1.50 to $20.00
Brass Jardinier	$1.15 to $27 50	Silk Embroidered Kimono	$9.50 to $75.00
Brass Hanging Vase	$1.25 to $4 50	Silk Embroidered Handkerchief	15c to $3.25
Tea Set	$4 00 to $15.00	Drawn Work Collar	10c to 50c
Chocolate Set	$3.50 to $12.00	Drawn Work Handkerchief	15c to 85c
Silver Cloisonne Vase	$1 25 to $12 50	Drawn Work Centerpieces	$1 25 to $6.50

Fancy Vase	60c to $75.00
Silk Brocade Purse	10c to $10.00
Silk Netsuke	$1.75 to $7.50
Card Case	$1.75 to $2.25
Silk Pillow Top	$1.75 to $2.50

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The Oceanic Steamship Swindle.

The greatest indignation is expressed on all sides at the bold robbery of thousands of depositors, many of them people of limited means, by the looting of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company. There is profound astonishment that villainy should be brazen and callous; that men holding high places in the social and financial world should be so lacking in sentiments of decency, honor and humanity as to take advantage of people who had trusted them implicity. The exposure of cold blooded scoundrelism is characterized as unparalleled.

Certainly the moral depravity, heartless rapacity and black dishonor revealed is shocking, but recent history affords other examples fully as atrocious—examples where the plunderers escaped scot free with their booty and continue to hold their heads high in society and finance. After all what essential difference is there between the robbery of the depositors of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company and the plunder of the public by the infamous Oceanic Steampship stock deal a few years back? The result is precisely the same—a great number of trusting people betrayed and despoiled by a deliberate scheme of chicane, fraudulent reports, crooked financiering, deception and downright dishonesty.

The Oceanic Company was organized and managed by the Spreckels family. John D. Spreckels & Co. were the general agents of the concern. John D. Spreckels was president of the company. Oceanic stock was boomed by a long series of reports which falsified the financial condition of the company. Unearned dividends were paid with money borrowed on overdrafts from John D. Spreckels & Co., a fact that was carefully concealed from the public. By artful misrepresentation and manipulation of the stock market as well as the reports of the company the stock was boosted to $103 a share. Then a flood of it was unloaded on the public. Poor people, including widows and retired ministers, were induced to take their savings out of the banks and other investment agencies and buy Oceanic stock with it. This stock was sold by the same persons who made the people believe the Oceanic Company was earning big dividends when it was actually losing money.

When the market was fully gorged with Oceanic stock the trap was sprung. The directors, all members or creatures of the Spreckels family, met, and instead of declaring the usual dividend levied an assessment of $10 a share on the stock. A financial statement was rendered showing that the company was practically bankrupt and had been losing money steadily for a long time.

Oceanic stock became a byword in the market. Once deemed a gilt-edged security it fell in a day to the level of mining wildcats. It ceased to have any sale or any standing as collateral for loans, and its quotation on the stock board dropped to $3 a share. Finally it ceased to be quoted at all. The people who paid the $10 assessment merely threw good money after bad.

Nobody has ever been punished for this gigantic piece of rascality, no restitution has ever been made to the victims, some of whom committed suicide, while at least two others died in extreme poverty in consequence of the Oceanic stock swindle. Justice bids fair to deal out retribution to Brown and Bartnett, but it has been leaden footed and palsied as well as blind in regard to the Oceanic infamy. Indeed, the feculent Call, owned by John D. Spreckels, has the effrontery to set up as a moral censor. It holds up its unclean hands in pretended horror at the crimes of Brown and Bartnett. It offers itself as a witness to the dishonesty of others when it is an asset of public spoliation and betrayal of the most sacred trusts. When did Uriah Heep become qualified to sit in judgment on Mr. Pecksniff? Rogues of a kind should have a fellow feeling.

General Stoessel's Courtmartial.

The trial of General Stoessel, before a courtmartial on a charge of needlessly surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese army under General Nogi and thereby humiliating the Russian army, is now in progress at St. Petersburg. It is one of the outgrowths of the petty jealousies and personal squabbles which broke out so frequently during the Russian-Japanese war, from its beginning to its close, among those high in authority in the armies and the navy of Russia. And since the war closed, the Russian government has been keeping itself busy trying army and naval commanders on charges of cowardice, inefficiency, disobedience of orders and other grave offenses, most of which, if not all of them, were punishable by death under the Russian military code. But of the many commanding officers, Kuropatkin among them, who have been hitherto tried by courtsmartial since the close of the war and found guilty of the charges lodged against them, not one has suffered the death penalty.

When the war was on, and after the surrender of the fortress of Port Arthur, military critics were unanimous in their praise of Stoessel's brave and stubborn defense of the stronghold and it was classed among the more famous defenses recorded in history. Even the surrender of the fortress was universally commended as an act of humanity. It was conceded that to hold out longer than he did would have been to invite a useless slaughter and the possible annihilation of the garrison, as the fortress had become untenable, the Japanese having carried the key by storm, and the arsenals, town, fleet, docks and remaining forts were completely at their mercy. As it was, the slaughter during the investment had been awful and the hospitals and hospital camps were crowded with about 15,000 sick and wounded and the whole atmosphere of the place was tainted with the stench of the unburied dead, all of which bore eloquent testimony of the stubbornness of the defense and the ravages of disease. During the course of the siege, the Czar recognized Stoessel's courageous defense by conferring upon him the highest military mark of honor bestowed on any Russian soldier, living or dead.

When the war was over, an exposure followed of the bickerings, jealousies, with charges and counter-charges, of incompetency and insubordination, in which Stoessel and his associates in command of Port Arthur, Admirals Alexieff and Rojestvensky, Kuropatkin, the commander-in-chief of the Manchurian armies, Linevitch, Kuropatkin's successor, and the commander of the Port Arthur squadron, were involved. Kuropatkin had been dispatched to the front as the savior of Russia's interests in the Far East, and with the bombastic boast dropping from his own lips that he would drive the Japanese out of Southern Manchuria and Corea and across the strait and dictate terms of peace personally to the Mikado at Tokio. His entire experience in the campaign was a succession of defeats, redeemed only by the masterful retreat north from Mukden. Further disaster was arrested by Linevitch, who succeeded Kuropatkin in a few days after the expulsion of the Russian army from Mukden.

It looks now as if Stoessel was being made a scapegoat for the failure of the war. All of his enemies are making common cause against him. The brilliancy of his heroic defense of Port Arthur is dimmed. All of his enemies, who failed to distinguish themselves, and most of whom have been under a cloud, have combined to disgrace and sacrifice him, in order to cover their own short-comings. There are strong evidences that it has been pre-ordained by the courtmartial trying him that he must be vicariously sacrificed, for he has been already denied the ordinary rights of summoning witnesses for his defense. The trial promises, therefore, to be one of the most shameful incidents in modern history and a disgrace to modern Russian civilization.

Fighting the 'White Plague'.

A year hence an international congress on tuberculosis will meet at Washington. In attendance at the congress will be the most eminent workers in the conflict against what has become known as the "white plague," from all parts of the world, who will discuss the problem of combating it and the possibilities of its solution. The congress will be in session from September 21 to October 12, 1908.

There can be no denying the fact that tuberculosis is the most dangerous and deadly disease to which mankind is today subject. It has been proved by statistics carefully collated that one-tenth of all deaths occurring in the civilized world and about one-fourth of all deaths between the ages of 20 and 45 years are due to it.

But it has been proved also that its spread by contagion is preventable. The old theory of inheritance has been in a large measure demonstrated to be erroneous. Inheritance simply transmits the susceptibility to contraction of the disease by those who are persistently exposed to those who are afflicted to it. But this inherited tendency has been proved through the experience of modern medical science to be possible to overcome by the simple process of separation. Isolation and the open air treatment have produced wonderfully beneficial results also to those afflicted with the disease in all of its stages of development.

Many communities have, as a sanitary measure and a prevention of the spread of tuberculosis, been compelled to adopt drastic means to control it. These measures are strictly humane in their character and have apparently pointed the way to stamp out the disease. At all events they have proved to the satisfaction of experts that the dread disease is controllable, if not actually curable. In southern California isolation has been found necessary as a preventive against contamination. Many communities in the Eastern and Southern States, like Louisville, Ky., have, under statutory authorization, purchased isolated tracts of land and erected hospitals thereon where tuberculosis cases may be specially treated under the most favorable sanitary conditions, with encouraging results. These institutions are established and supported at public expense. At the forthcoming international congress there will be an exchange of the personal experiences of experts, and there is every reason to expect that a great advance will be made in the treatment of the disease and that out of all may develop a perfect uniform method of treatment which will ultimately eradicate the great "white plague" as other "plagues" have been wiped out through the aid of modern medical science.

The deeper the affairs of the defunct California Safe Deposit and Trust Company are delved into the more strenuous the case of "frenzied finance" which is exposed.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

It is all right for the Presidential candidates to rush to secure headquarters in Chicago; but it is the man with his headquarters in the hearts of the delegates who is most likely to win.—Los Angeles Times.

Non-freezing oil for winter auto touring is an announced achievement which comes just in time. The Standard Oil Company is said to have produced an oil which is fluid at 40 degrees below zero. Alcohol is good for 45, but machines though they may be fired cannot be lubricated with alcohol and cannot run without lubricating.—Buffalo News.

"Over 2000 boys in the public schools of St. Paul use tobacco," says a dispatch. And how many St. Paul girls use gum?—Los Angeles Express.

TERSE COMMENT BY PRESS OF THE COUNTRY

DEMOCRACY IS SAID TO BE SEEKING A NEW SYMBOL TO TAKE THE PLACE OF THE DONKEY—SOME SUGGESTIONS.

THE LION: Because it is the king of beasts and can whip an elephant.

THE OWL: Because it is the symbol of wisdom and says nothing. Prominent in Hoo-Hoo in America.

THE ROOSTER: Because it is the emblem of victory. Can crow, strut, and scrap. Useful as well as ornamental.

THE DOG: The friend of the common people. The symbol of vigilance and fidelity. Indigenous to all parts of the country.

THE TURKEY: The most popular thing in November, when the elections occur.

THE CAMEL: Symbol of patient industry, and usefulness. Can go a long time without water.

THE CAT: Hard to kill, having nine lives. Popular with the ladies. The symbol of the home.

THE BUFFALO: Exclusively American also nearly extinct.

THE GOAT: Can leap from crag to crag and platform to platform. Can live on anything, knows how to take a joke and butts in where angels fear to tread.

THE TURTLE: Slow but sure. Long lived and hard to kill. Carries its own house and can register in any ward.

—FROM CHICAGO RECORD-HERALD

They Respect Bryan But Do Not Want to See Him President

Whether people look upon Bryan as measuring up to the responsibilities of President or not they have come to respect him as a man and citizen. His statement of his candidacy is entirely consistent with this view of Bryan as a patriotic and honorable man, fearless in his utterances, frank with the country and whose opinions, as has been said of another, are convictions.

All this does not change the fact that very many people who respect Mr Bryan would not like to see him President. He is more sentimental than practical. His whirlwind crusade for free silver during the hard times in the early '90's convinced most hard-headed people that he is essentially and incurably unsound in his ideas of ways and means. His experimental speech at New York immediately after his return from globe-trotting in behalf of government ownership and operation of railroads as the "way out" of the troublesome transportation problem emphasized exactly that objection to Bryan as chief executive.

President Roosevelt is criticized as impulsive but as he says himself he is "a practical man" and adjusts himself to situations. The fundamental objection to Bryan is that he is a theoretical and not a practical statesman.

Republican leaders are so sure of being able to defeat Bryan, already twice defeated, that his candidacy will tend to encourage the efforts of Republican machine politicians to put up a stand-patter on the Republican side. They would rejoice to see Bryan take the field and keep such men as Governor Folk or Governor Johnson or Judge Gray, who would unite the Democrats and necessitate the nomination of the best vote-getter on the Republican side. In his announcement Bryan states that he will not seek support, but leaves it to the party to say whether it wants him as its candidate or not. If his party is wise, it will prefer to take a candidate who at least has not been proven to be wedded to defeat.—Topeka (Kan.) Capital.

Thomas W. Lawson Just as Absurd in His Claims as Wall Street Financiers

Thomas W. Lawson has resurrected the "System" and started to put it through absurd tricks. He is trying to make out that it is responsible for all the financial trouble we have had during the last month. He claims that the "System" has entered into a conspiracy to throw the laborers of the country out of work for the next year, so that they will vote against Roosevelt and his policies.

But for him to say that the widespread disturbance of business in this country is due to the manipulations of the "System" with that end in view is just as absurd as for Wall street manipulators to attribute it to the emphasis with which President Roosevelt has driven his accusations home against dishonesty and lawbreaking in big business enterprises.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Same Old Argument That Surplus in Treasury is Really Not of Any Use

In the President's opinion a surplus revenue of $190,000,000 in six years is an eminently satisfactory showing in national finance. The average excess of revenue for the six years is $31,000,000 annually, and for the last fiscal year it was about $80,000,000. To the people who pay the taxes such an excess seems only an incentive to unnecessary extravagance, a needless drain on the resources of the nation and ample reason for a revision of the tariff which enables the government to pile up a useless surplus.—Salt Lake Herald.

If a woman hasn't anything else to do with her husband's money she buys a lot of useless things because they are cheap.

Alabama Swings Into Prohibition Column With Impetuosity

After more than half a century's experience in other commonwealths as to state prohibition, which has been largely abandoned, Alabama swings into the prohibition column with an impetuosity which seems to be born of total ignorance of the fact that prohibition has proved a failure after long trial. The belief that a law is all that is necessary to dispense with the evils of intemperance seems to be robust there.

The lobby, composed of enthusiasts, who feel strongly, but who reason feebly, or not at all, fill the halls of legislation, and silence opposition by hysterical outcries. This lobby forms but an insignificant part of the population of the state. How far it is representative is hard to say, but there is much reason to believe that it is far from an index of the position of the voting population.

There is in Alabama and in other Southern states a strong feeling in favor of prohibition in order to deprive the colored population of the use of liquor. Many of those who favor this policy perhaps, expect to provide themselves with supplies from other states. But it is very probable that the attempt to deprive the negro population will fail signally, for among the violators of such law they are likely to be conspicuous. It is admitted by the more reasonable advocates of state prohibition that the law will be largely violated.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Without Having Genuine Democratic Following Mr. Bryan's Chances Are Slim

If Mr Bryan were not wholly absorbed in his own personal and political conceits he would see a profitable suggestion in Senator Daniels' brief but pointed remarks. Bryan has won the admiration of the Populists; he is trying to obtain the support of the Independence Leaguers and his spectacular conference with President Roosevelt was clearly devised for the purpose of gaining the favor of Roosevelt Republicans by demonstrating the sentiment of mutual admiration existing between Roosevelt and himself, and the "nearness" of their policies.

Senator Daniel made it clear to Mr Bryan that the one element with which he was not in accord was the Democratic party. Would it not be a good plan for the self-constituted leader of the Democracy to gain the confidence and support of genuine Democrats? The position of a Democratic leader without a Democratic following is precarious.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Secretary Metcalf's Show of Naval Strength Will Please Great Majority

The great majority of the people of the United States will view with pardonable pride the showing of the naval strength of the country made by Secretary Metcalf. The modern American navy, although hardly of voting age, has increased in tonnage and power so rapidly that it now stands in fighting strength second only to that of Great Britain. It has cost a lot of money to build these ships and it costs a great deal to maintain them, but as a guarantee of peaceful relations with the rest of the world it may be money well spent.—Denver Post.

Public Life as it is Viewed by Governor Hughes of New York

Possessing an intimate knowledge of the grave responsibilities of public servants, Governor Hughes of New York the other evening delivered a very instructive address on "Public office" before the civic forum, a new lyceum for discussion of national and state national topics. A few of the ideas he expressed are worthy of serious consideration by all who think of entering the public service, as well as by those who thoughtlessly criticise public officials.

Governor Hughes reiterated a very old-fashioned, but still true idea, when he declared that the people are not misled by "misleading appeals" on the hustings, but that Americans are in the main "a thoughtful and fair minded people truth-loving and desirous to get at the heart of things. Appeals to reason are more cogent than many think, and nothing is more encouraging than the indications everywhere of information and to form correct opinions."

His idea of public life is that "the administration of office is three-fourths of political life. Men in office may be steadied by responsibilities and safeguarded by precedent but in his opinion, from general standpoint the administration of office will reflect the average virtues and feelings of the community. In other words the majority of the people get what they vote for. The majority, however, should rule in this country, and they do in nation, state and city under our form of government. If a prohibitionist or a socialist should be elected President, it would simply indicate it was the will of the majority of citizens that such should be the case.—Boston Globe.

Foraker Takes Wing and Threatens to Upset Calculations

Whatever may be the impelling motive—the vociferous indorsement of the colored brethren, or other stimulus—something has stirred the "Old Grey Eagle" of Ohio Senator Foraker, to spread his wings for a lofty flight, to utter a cry of battle and to announce himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the Presidency.

This determination will arouse the interest of the country chiefly on account of its effect on the situation in Ohio, which has been supposed to be solid for Taft. All recent developments have indicated that as between Taft and Foraker the former has the more strength in the Buckeye state, but the recent victory of Tom Johnson over the administration's candidate Mr. Burton, in Cleveland, has apparently given courage to Secretary Taft's enemies. Moreover, it is possible that the prolonged absence of the secretary in distant parts of the globe has permitted the opposition to sow tares in his fields.

The fight is on. Speaker Cannon has gone into it in earnest with the solid Illinois delegation promised to him. The business men of the East are boosting Governor Hughes. There is every indication that Secretary Taft is backed by the administration, although Mr Cortelyou has shied his castor into the ring. Then Knox of Pennsylvania will have his following. And now comes the doughty Foraker threatening to upset calculations.—Los Angeles Times.

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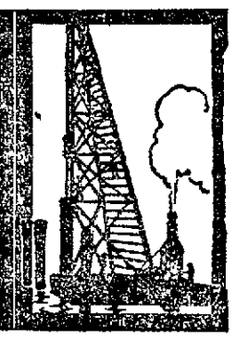

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SHE Put Him in Jail Because He Took Her Dowry and Married Another GIRL

LOWELL, Mass, Dec 13 — Arthur Campbell, a young grocer here is in jail charged with getting in advance $5000 of the $10 000 dowry promised to him upon his marriage to Alexandria Nichols and then marrying an old sweetheart

"He got my money to pay for his wedding to that other woman says Miss Nichols In her complaint she swears that they had been engaged for a year that Campbell had made strenuous love to her that he pressed her to hurry the day when they should be married and seemed elated when she named Saturday That morning— the wedding was to take place at noon—Campbell went to her brother Arthur Nichols so Miss Nichols says and persuaded him to turn over $5000 of her $10 000 dowry left by her father when he died two years ago to be given to her when she married

Campbell it is alleged took the money in a certified check saying he had a chance to put it in a grocery business He left in a hurry saving he must get ready for the wedding Miss Nichols and her friends gathered at the church They waited until an hour after noon and then went home In the afternoon friends telephoned from Lynn that Campbell had been married there at noon to Ruth Stevens an old sweetheart Miss Nichols waited until today and then she had him arrested Campbell will not talk

What a Woman Should Weigh

It is often asked how stout a woman ought to be in proportion to her height A very young girl may becomingly be thinner than a matron but the following table gives a fair indication of proper proportions

Height	Pounds
5 feet	About 100
5 feet 1 inch	" 106
5 feet 2 inches	" 113
5 feet 3 inches	" 119
5 feet 4 inches	" 130
5 feet 5 inches	" 138
5 feet 6 inches	" 144
5 feet 7 inches	" 150
5 feet 8 inches	" 155
5 feet 9 inches	" 163
5 feet 10 inches	" 169
5 feet 11 inches	" 176
6 feet	" 180
6 feet 1 inch	" 186

GOVERNOR OF TENNESSEE TAKES UNION CITY BRIDE

Both Confused When They First Met

MISS MARY R GARDNER AND GOVERNOR M R PATTERSON OF TENNESSEE WERE MARRIED ON DECEMBER 7TH THEIR FIRST MEETING IT IS SAID TOOK PLACE ON THE STAGE OF THE TOWN HALL AT CHATTANOOGA WHEN MISS GARDNER WAS DEPUTIZED BY THE DEMOCRACY OF UNION CITY HER HOME TO PRESENT MR PATTERSON THEN THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR WITH A BOUQUET MISS GARDNER FORGOT HER LINE MR PATTERSON ACTED AS ONE WHO HAD RUN OUT OF WORDS THIS WILL BE THE GOVERNOR'S THIRD MARRIAGE HE WAS TWICE A WIDOWER

IDEAL OF A YOUNG MAN

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Thinks Men Should Be More Polite to Women

"What is an ideal young man?

In answering this question I think a few words should be said not only of a young man's habits but of his manners The little acts of kindness count in every one's life It struck me very forcibly that the men of today lack civility when while walking on a very narrow board sidewalk I passed five men Four of them kept on the walk while the fifth gentleman stepped to one side and allowed me to go on my way

The kind hearted clear-minded and clean handed young man is respected and looked up to as one worthy of a place in the world

Rose D Blodgett 1104 E Fifteenth St Oakland, Cal

Says Her Ideal Man Has Not Yet Been Born

My ideal of a man is not born so therefore I can not expect to find him because there is no man with all the points I would like him to have

Yours truly

Rose Downing 1213 Buena Vista St, Alameda Cal

Has Courage to Say NO, And Holds Woman Pure.

In giving you my opinion of an ideal young man I would say he is one who, regardless of his associates has courage to say no to anything that would impair his usefulness or degrade his manhood and one who holds the purity of womanhood in such high esteem that he never harbors a thought concerning them that he would not willingly allow other men to entertain toward his own dear mother or sister Respectfully yours

MRS H BARBOUR

1711 Twelfth street.

WOMAN Recalls Her Incarnation IN THE STONE AGE

Can Tell Experiences With Cave Men In Glacial Period

She is Nurse, Maid, Scholar, Mathematician, Writer and Has Dual Personality

ST LOUIS Mo Dec 13—Mrs Susan Edwards McGee a young nurse maid authoress mathematician and scholar now at the city hospital suffering from hysteria following her arrest on the charge of stealing jewels from a home in the West End is affording physicians one of the most interesting cases in their experience

Mrs McGee says she is a second Jekyll and Hyde The physicians were for a time under the impression that she was insane but they have changed their opinions and now believe the girl is one of the most remarkable they have ever dealt with

Mrs McGee is 27 years old but appears to be no more than 20 She was married when but 16 and divorced three years ago since which time she has been travelling about the country working as a maid and at other times as a nurse She has written for several magazines under the nom de plume of Alexander Watson

She became two different kinds of a woman in a short time Now she is docile and talks intelligently on all subjects and again she becomes almost savage

She can quote many pages from the greatest scientific romantic religious and philosophic works

Mrs McGee explains these moods by saying she has a dual personality She says

Since I was a child I have dreamed and thought of prehistoric times and things As a child I used to wander forth in the woods and find a cave where I would sit and see cavemen with stone hatchets dragging in great bears which they would proceed to devour

Women Pitched In and Cleaned The Streets

MONTGOMERY Ala Dec 12—The women of Gharden a town of 2000 inhabitants in patient with the men who allowed the streets to remain dirty pitched in with pick and shovel and put them in good shape themselves The women assembled at the call of one of their number equipped with the proper tools and cleaned up the highway fill in the holes and ruts and removed the debris They sang as they worked while men thronged the sidewalks to look on

Many a girl in the squad saw her beau in the onlookers

SOCIETY GOSSIP

The Friday Night Club will hold the second dance of the season this evening at the Home Club in East Oakland Special cars will carry the guests to and from the club in time for the trains from San Francisco Several hundred members of the younger set will attend the elaborate affair and a delightful assembly is in prospect

The patronesses of this exclusive dancing club are Mrs Edward M Walsh Mrs Martin Kales Mrs F C Coogan Mrs J F Sims Mrs W H Chickering Mrs D H Mathes

A few of the names of the society girls on the membership list are Miss Mollie Mathes Miss Edna Prather Miss May Coogan Miss Claire Chabot Miss Christine Taft Miss Ruth Houghton Miss Katherine Brown Miss Amy Thomson Miss Marion Walsh Miss Rose Kales Miss Ruth Kales Miss Jessie Fox Miss Marietta Havens Miss Ruth Knowles

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What to Buy For Christmas

Mocha gloves for men always an acceptable gift are selling for $1 50 a pair

Handsome top collar and deep cuff sets are to be had done in hand embroidered Madeira work

Pretty for the girl who goes to dances would be a pair of the new white silk stockings that are spangled with silver

Japanese wind bells make a pretty and novel gift to those who like things oriental and unusual They may be had for 25 35 and 50 cents each

Pretty for the girl who rooms is one of the denim shoe bags selling for 39 cents They are dress up with ribbons and the denim is of good quality One bag has compartments for three pairs of shoes and sell for 50 cents

There's some women who would be glad to have Santa Claus leave at their door a set of parlor furniture shown in one of the shops It has frames of gold and the seats are covered with soft green damask Two good cabinets are displayed with it

One of the newest neck fixings among the Frenchy swings is the white handkerchief linen stock exquisitely embroidered in nun's work It has a top collar done in one of the fine elaborate designs characteristic of the work and a short Ascot scarf with embroidered ends

One would think one would need hardly go to Armenia or to Madeira for handkerchiefs but from both those places come kerchiefs that are the daintiest bits for Christmas The Armenian work consists of a border of little threaded loops The Madeira embroidery something like English open work is the latest for these little accessories

Ribbed hose of a mixture of wool and silk are listed among the lollipop kind The feet are finished with double silk thread which gives warm yet not too much bulk They can be purchased in white black or gray scarlet stockings with great resemble the Irsette needlework formerly done by our grandmothers are made in a variety of warm colors and may be classed among the novelties

Just why people buy the arts and crafts toys no one knows and yet they do It is perhaps because they are so quaint one can't resist them for to look at them once is to look again The animals aren't a bit like real ones they are just the queer grown ones that used to come out of the Noah's ark of a score of years ago One can get horses dogs sheep elephants etc In these wooden toys some six inches high and brightly colored

WED COUNTRY GIRLS? || "OH, MY, NO," SAYS WINIFRED BLACK

Tells Professor Who Advises Youths That He Does Not Know What He Is Talking About

(BY WINIFRED BLACK)

DENVER Dec 1—So the boys must all marry country girls in order to get wives worth having but they Professor Thomas?

Dear me what a nuisance

What's going to become of all the country boys when they get to looking for wives themselves

No ordinary city girl will go out into the country and feed the cows and milk the chickens and set the pigs when she can live in a nice steam heated flat and tell the janitor what she thinks of him any hour of the day or night will she

City girls are too extravagant too giddy too light headed to make wives for struggling young men are they?

Well maybe they are—maybe they are But let me tell you there are as many giddy young colts in the country as there are in the city and it an excellent thing to break your colt well before you drive her in double harness

Some of the worst silly mixups I've ever seen have been when a country bred girl married a city man and came to town and found out how easy it was to live without working or without what she thinks is the kind of working

City men will as a rule be happier and more comfortable if they marry city girls

City girls understand city men and know what they want Country girls do not

What does a city man want of a wife who knows how to make butter and cheese and raise turkeys?

WHAT HE WANTS

What good will that kind of knowledge do him pray tell Professor Thomas

He wants a wife who can make a flat look pretty wear pretty clothes and make them look as if they came from Paris entertain his friends and be a companion to him

When the Kalamazoo boys come up to dinner after the football game he doesn't want his wife to entertain them with tales of the whitecrop He wants her to get down to her banjo and help out in the choruses and know when to laugh and when to look as if she didn't understand

A country boy wants a wife who knows the same things that he knows and understands that a man who's been out in the fields all day can't sit up and play bridge whist her till 11 o'clock or call the neighbors in and organize glee clubs just to keep her from getting lonely

Country girls are sweeter and better and prettier and more devoted than any other creature in the world—except a city girl

It doesn't make a straw's worth of difference where the girl was born and brought up when it comes to her real character Professor Thomas

It's the girl herself who counts

HE IS A CHUMP

The man who picks out a wife because he thinks she will be useful to him and help him along in the world is not only a rather despicable creature he's what they call in football circles a chump He belongs in the same catalogue with the girl who marries a man for a home She may get the home but think what she has to take into it!

There's just one excuse for marriage just one oil for the wheels of domesticity and that is love When you have that you have everything that is necessary

The giddiest little goose of a cotillion dancer will settle down into a sensible responsible woman in a year—if she marries the right man

And the most sensible practical, economical wife in the world will drive a man to drink or divorce in a year if she isn't the right woman

Let the girls giggle and spend their money, and wear fluffy ruffles and filamuffs Professor

They're only young but once

DANGER FOR BOTH

I hate to see a sensible girl marry a man I like I am always so worried I fear she's so sensible that she will think more of money than she does of the real things of life and be more of getting on in the world than she will of her husband

Let the girls alone Professor

There's all right—for girls

Of course they talk like giddy little canary birds and they dress like parrots and they giggle like—well like girls—but they're going to turn into devoted honest hearted faithful American women the minute they get a chance—and don't you try to take that chance away from them either

The American girl knows how to turn into exactly the kind of wife the man she loves needs whether she's brought up on a farm in a city and the American man will do his own choosing thanks without any advise from anyone on earth in college or out of it

But Professor while you are about it—will you please run down to Vassar or Smith and tell the girls never to marry a man till they know whether he understands the care of a furnace and the best way to prepare baby food on a winter's night when the alcohol lamp won't work?

What's sauce for the goose—don't you know—what's sauce for the goose—

$ Girls, Are You Saving Money ?

I am almost afraid to introduce the hackneyed subject but just at present it is a subject that is very much on all of us—it is the subject of money being discussed by Beatrice Fairfax in the New York Journal

On all sides we hear groans for the good old days of the hard times but are we better off

It is sincerely to be hoped that these football days will not come to an end we must be ready for them if they do In certain works we must save money

This is a hard time of the year to begin saving for all our habits are set with generosity and our money fairly burns holes in our pocket

But dear girls I beg of you to be wise about spending your money Don't let your generous spirit carry you beyond what you can afford

If hard times come many of our men lose their jobs and we must be ready to tide over with a generous hand

We are not going to be pessimistic but we must look for hard times and we must be ready to meet them if they come

EVERY ONE CAN SAVE

There are very few of us who can't save just a little money if we put our mind to it

Of course it's easier to talk about saving than to do it but about it and talk it for there are some necessities to life things that one can't go without such as food and carfare and laundry

But it's the luxuries that we must forego now in the necessities The velvet we wanted all Autumn or the necktie that will just finish your blue dress or the collar that you know will make it tremendously becoming

I know how hard it is to save for I know how pretty things and so does every woman

I am not a pretty well and strong but I am [illegible] you have [illegible] which to meet the [illegible]?

Many times to parents in time of distress that there are some of you whose [illegible] would be a kindness and a service to the family just

Aside from the [illegible] future to [illegible] don't you [illegible] to have a comfortable [illegible] of your own?

DEPENDENT OLD WOMEN

And [illegible] the more [illegible] now while [illegible] independent [illegible] her life

If [illegible] own it will [illegible] own self-respect and [illegible] among your friends

[illegible] Be in right now [illegible] without [illegible] the luxuries [illegible] is saved [illegible] how quickly [illegible] savings will grow

[illegible] that I want [illegible] that is never to [illegible] man A man has to be [illegible] girl to lend him money [illegible] worth a row of pins will do so

Remember that the money earned by a woman [illegible] work and do not let fools [illegible] to squander it for sentimental reasons

Save [illegible] that be your motto for the coming year

DECLARES THEY Hugged FOR 5 MINUTES

RACY TESTIMONY IS GIVEN IN DIVORCE SUIT

NEW YORK Dec 13—Testimony of a decidedly sensational nature is causing crowds of well dressed men and women to crowd the Supreme Court during the hearing of the suit for divorce brought by Mrs Iola O Gillies against her husband Walter Wright Gillies a wealthy coffee broker of 71 Water street

Infidelity is the ground on which the decree is sought and John J Harris a private detective now on the stand is the star witness for Mrs Gillies

Harris testified that on one occasion he had followed Gillies to a house at 127 West Forty ninth street where the former had met a young woman Together they proceeded to a well known up-town restaurant where they remained from 9 30 in the evening until shortly before 2 30 the following morning

When they came out of the restaurant said the detective Mr Gillies appeared like a man who had dined and wined well and the woman was staggering He had to support her

When they got to Forty ninth street he began to hug and kiss her and she hugged and kissed him

Mrs Gillies was represented at the trial by Walter T Stern, of Corbett & Sterns and the husband by Paul M Crandall

FOLLOWED THEM

Questioned by Mr Stern Detective Harris said that he had followed Mr Gillies around all of the night in question from 9 o'clock until 2 30 in the morning He said that after hugging and kissing each other they went to the house in which they had first started out together 127 West Forty-ninth street He said Gillies came out about fifteen minutes later and went to his home

The next time Harris saw Mr Gillies he said was March 1 1907 when Mr Gillies took the same woman to a theater

Cross examined by Mr Crandall Harris said that when he saw Mr Gillies first go into the house in Forty ninth street he phoned for Mrs Gillies lawyers

They came to the place within half an hour said Harris and engaged an electric cab It could hold only two and so as it was a bitter cold night we took turns two of us sitting in the cab while the third kept walking outside within sight of the house

Afterward when Gillies and the woman went to Churchill's the lawyers also went into the restaurant while I stayed outside

Harris said that in order to get near enough to Gillies when the latter returned to the West Forty ninth street house with the woman he pretended to be intoxicated

Were you intoxicated? asked Lawyer Crandall

No sir I never taste liquor was the detective's reply

Half a dozen handsome stylishly dressed women all of whom appeared to be connected with the case were at the trial this afternoon One of the pretties of these kept glaring at Mrs Gillies Her identity was not disclosed Mrs Gillies appeared to ignore her

Much interest was manifested when Harris testified more in detail as to the alleged hugging and kissing episode

The hug lasted fully five minutes said Harris

Q How did he hug her?

A Just as a body would hug under the circumstances Just as I would hug

Girl's Coaster Knocks Out Vicious Old Mule

PORT JARVIS N Y Dec 13—It's glorious' cried Miss Mabel Huntington and Miss Anna Ripley each 18 years as they enjoyed the first coasting of the winter at Rio Sullivan county today Miss Mabel was steering the sled built for two

Half way down the decline which is a matter of a mile long, the girls' joyous shouts were changed to frightened shrieks For at the bottom of the hill in the flying sled's path, stood John Dixon a mule, which had balked near the blacksmith shop to which John was leading it

The wicked mule saw the sled coming and propped itself to kick it into smithereens Only a second passed but to Dixon tugging mightily on the halter, it seemed an eternity

The mule kicked viciously and missed—such was the sled's velocity When the mule's hind legs were still in the air the long front points of the sled's runners hit its fore legs tripped it and sent it clear of the sled's track

'Glorious' cheered the girls as they dragged the sled up the hill and watched the mule limping away

Pretty Thief Drugs and Robs RICH WIDOW Pal Knockout Drops in Soda Water

NEW YORK Dec 13—Mrs George Davis the young and handsome widow of a wealthy real estate operator of Harlem left her apartments in the Marion No 189 Audubon avenue Saturday morning to inspect some of the real estate left by her husband and to call at the Mount Morris Bank One Hundred and Twenty fifth street and Park avenue Mrs Davis was sure she felt that she was being followed but could see no one who looked suspicious She drew $185 As she was leaving the bank a young woman fashionably dressed in brown, spoke to her

The stranger addressed Mrs Davis by her name and said she had lived in one of Mrs Davis houses Then she told a story of misfortune involving her recent marriage and desertion within a week In order to hear more of the girl's tale Mrs Davis took her to a soda fountain and refreshments were ordered The drink, which Mrs Davis now believes was drugged with "knock-out drops" while she was not looking, made her deathly ill The newly-found friend offered to take Mrs. Davis home

Soon after the two arrived at the apartment house Mrs Davis became so drowsy she could not keep awake She thinks it was then about 11 30 a m She did not awake until evening when she found she was alone and her memory was almost a blank As soon as she could recollect all the events of the morning, Mrs Davis made a hurried search for her purse and $185 Both were gone together with a Persian lamb muff and stole worth $200

With the janitress Mrs Nellie Scharff Mrs Davis went to the West One Hundred and Fifty-second street station and notified the police Detectives obtained no clue to the thief

A well-dressed young man evidently the woman robber's confederate called on Mrs Davis yesterday morning and said he understood she had been robbed Then he volunteered that he knew the young woman who had stolen the money and furs and where they could be recovered

'But I want $25 in advance for the information,' said the young man

Mrs Davis acquiesced and said she would ask the janitress to go with her The [illegible] suspecting that the police would be called for a hasty retreat from the house Detectives could find no trace of him nor from the descriptions furnished by Mrs Davis could they get a clue to any similar operations of the two thieves

How to Rest the Eyes

Every woman who uses her eyes closely should give them frequent rest Frequent be it noted not long rests, which are often impossible to busy workers There are few however who cannot shut the eyes every two or three hours for a minute or two Try it today and see what a relief it is both to the eyes and to the nerves

:: SOCIETY GOSSIP ::

MISS MOLLI E MATHES.

(Continued from Preceding Page.)

Miss Lillie Reed, Miss Irene Bangs and many others.

The second of Mrs. Ynez Shorb White's cotillions will take place at the Fairmont tonight with Mrs. Reginald Knight Smith and Mrs. Eleanor Martin receiving with Mrs. White. Tonight also is the date of the second Friday Night dance, which will be chaperoned by Mrs. James Potter Langhorne, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. Louis Monteagle and Mrs. L. L. Baker at the Century Club's hall in Sutter street.

Miss Sue Nicol and Miss Anna Peters will be the joint hostesses at a large dinner to be given this evening at the Fairmont, the guests afterwards attending Mrs. White's dance. Miss Nicol and Miss Peters will entertain Mrs. Ynez Shorb White, Miss Maye Colburn, Miss Ethel Shorb, Miss Marguerite Butters, Mrs. Cooke, Philip Paschel, Dr. Edward Hopkins, Lieutenant Carpenter, Arthur Fennimore, George Fuller and several others.

Several dinner parties will precede the Friday Night meeting on this side of the bay.

CARD CLUB.

Miss Irene Bangs was hostess this afternoon at the meeting of a card club held at her home in Ninth street. Luncheon and an informal game of bridge was the afternoon program. Among those present were Miss Myrtle Sims, Miss Clarisse Lohse, Miss Louise Hall, Miss Letitia Barry, Miss Marion Walsh, Miss Jessie Craig and a few others.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The relatives and friends of Mrs. A. E. Wilson assembled at her home in San Pablo avenue a few evenings ago to celebrate her birthday. After a game of cards supper was served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis, F. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilson, George Davis, Louis Davis, Miss Emily Davis, Miss Julia Case, Charles Rourke, Mrs. Swarkie, Fred Swarkie, James Donavon, Frank Midelton, B. Lonsdale, Albert Wilson and Sophie Wilson.

DANCING CLUB.

The Berkeley La Jeunesse, one of the exclusive dancing clubs on this side of the bay, will assemble this evening in Masonic temple for a delightful dance to be followed by a supper. The patronesses of the club for this season include Mrs. John Garber, Mrs. A. A. Pennoyer, Mrs. Henry Martinez, Mrs. Charles T. Blake, Mrs. C. B. Weltz, Mrs. A. Heriot Small, Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Mrs. Philip Galpin and Mrs. Henry Glass.

ENGAGEMENT NEWS.

The engagement is announced of Miss Edna Wemple and James R. McDonald. The news was told yesterday at an informal tea given by Miss Wemple in her apartments at the Carlton Hotel, Berkeley, where the bride-elect and her mother have been living for several months.

Miss Wemple is a daughter of the late Dr. Wemple of San Francisco and on account of his recent death the wedding will be a quiet affair. She is a graduate of the State University a few years ago and has taken several post graduate courses since.

McDonald is an Oregonian and has large lumber interests at Coos Bay, Oregon, where the couple will make their home after the wedding in the spring.

NEW HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bates will occupy their new home near Lake Merritt early in the new year. They had expected to be established in the attractive residence before Christmas, but the house is not yet completed. Since their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Bates have resided with Mrs. Bates' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnham, in Lake street.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butters will return a few days before Christmas from a pleasant trip to British Columbia, Washington, D. C., and New York.

Mrs. L. B. Edes will spend the holidays with her son, Bernard, in Salem, Oregon, where he is attending college.

Mrs. John L. Howard is out of town for a short stay with her son, who has been ill.

Mrs. Moylan Fox and her daughter, Miss Jessie Fox, have returned after a sojourn of several weeks in the East and will spend the holidays at their home in the Lakeside district.

HILL CLUB.

Miss Katherine Englehardt will entertain the members of the Hill Club next Monday afternoon at her home in Linda Vista. Among the members of the social organization are Mrs. Challen Parker, Miss Ilma Chase, Miss Marion Walsh, Miss Genevieve Chambers, Miss May Coogan, Miss Ruth Knowles and Miss Alice Knowles.

PLEASANT PLAY.

The play written by the Rev. William Norman Guthrie entitled "Fathers and Mothers" was presented for the first time last evening in the parish hall at Christ Episcopal Church in Alameda. The participants were Fletcher M. Slosson as Sir Edward Rodrule, Mrs. Harvey M. Toy as Lady Kathryn Rodrule, Metcalfe Simonson as Edward Rodrule, Miss Freda Riehl as Miss Rosaline Rodrule, Miss Florence Parker as Ellen, Oliver A. Harker as Sharknose, Harvey M. Toy as James, Harry Dumont as Eugene Wallace, Miss Blanche Tisdale as Mrs. Clara Wallace, Norman D'Evelyn as Lord Ashley Grey, Miss Eleanor French as Jlie. The music for the play was furnished by John de P. Teller and Richard Montgomery.

CARD PARTY.

Miss Carrie Miller was hostess yesterday at an informal card party given at her home. Miss Miller's guests were the members of a club which meets every two weeks for an hour at cards.

WEEK-END WHIST.

Miss Margeurite Butters will entertain Miss Peters and Miss Sue Nicol of Stockton over the week-end at her home in Piedmont. Miss Peters and her mother, Mrs. J. D. Peters, have taken apartments at the Fairmont in San Francisco for several days.

Beautiful Millinery at reduced prices, Miss S. F. Conniff 468 13th St.

COFFEE

Three-quarters of coffee is such that we can't touch it; we make five grades of the top quarter.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

NEGLECT DANGEROUS

Neglect of even an ordinary cough or cold is apt to leave the lungs sore and especially susceptible to bronchial affections. To break up a cold quickly and cure any cough that is curable there is nothing more effective than a mixture of one half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine, with two ounces of glycerine and a half pint of good whisky. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. Five ounces of tincture Cinchona Compound can be used instead of whisky with the same result.

The ingredients for this mixture are not expensive and can be purchased at any good drug store. It will always be found more satisfactory, however, to purchase each separately and mix them at home. Virgin Oil of Pine is a pure compound, guaranted by the manufacturers under the Food and Drugs Act, Serial No 451, and is prepared only in the laboratories of the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O., being put up, for dispensing, only in half-ounce vials, each vial securely sealed in a round wooden case.

GIRL IN TRANCE FORDS STREAMS; WALKS 3 MILES

Basket Ball Game and Big Dinner Responsible for Freak.

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 13.—Miss Grace Butler, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Butler of Dry Creek valley, walked three miles and forded a stream in the dead of night to reach her home, and now she declares that she was in a trance all the time.

The girl is a member of the Healdsburg High School basketball team, and after a game at Santa Rosa spent the night with friends at Healdsburg. Feeling faint, Miss Butler went to the porch for a breath of cool air. There, she claims, she fell asleep. Her friends sought her a few minutes later and found her gone. Search around the immediate vicinity proved vain.

Miss Butler's parents, who had expected that she would spend the night in Healdsburg, were astonished to find her in her bed at home in the morning. The excitement of the game and the heavy dinner eaten in Santa Rosa are believed responsible for the girl's condition.

WHETHER YOU WISH TO PAY 25c or $25.00 you will find the best value for the price at Bowman's Drug Stores.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills for sick headache, biliousness or constipation, you will never be without them. They are purely vegetable, small and easy to take. Don't forget this.

FRIENDS FEAR WULICH COMMITTED SUICIDE

COLMA, Dec. 13.—The mysterious disappearance of A. J. Wulich, a hotel-man of this town, has aroused his wife and many friends to fear that he has committed suicide. Wulich's business affairs have worried him lately and they may have unsettled his mind, his friends say. He left his hotel suddenly December 2. The following day his wife received a postal card, saying he was with friends in Oakland and that he was going from there to Stockton. No trace of him has been found in the latter city.

DO YOU SUFFER WITH Epilepsy?

This is the fairest offer ever made to sufferers of Epilepsy or Fits. Just deposit $1.50 with The Owl Drug Co. and get a bottle of Elixir Kosine. If after using same you are not entirely satisfied, your money will be returned. This trials is given at our expense.

Elixir Kosine is absolutely free from alcohol, cocaine, morphine or opiates. Prevent the attacks of fits or epileptic seizures and rid yourself of this dread disease by beginning the Kosine treatment today. Price $1.50. Mail orders filled. The Kosine Company, Washington, D. C., or call on The Owl Drug Co.

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Electro, vitro, lenco and thermo therapy treatments. Painless methods. Immediate relief. 9 a. m. to 12, 2 to 4 p. m. Sundays by appointment.

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First quality French Bread delivered to all parts of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda. Loaves made to order for parties.

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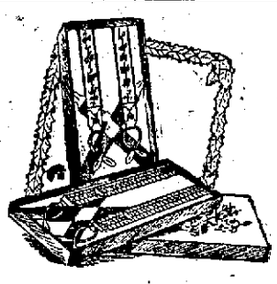
Kahns' is the Best Xmas Store

—Because of the magnificent array of Christmas merchandise which it offers.
—Because of the convenient and comfortable way in which that merchandise is served.
—Because of the unvarying high quality and conspicuously low prices.
—Because disappointments are rare, and bettered expectations are so frequent.
—Because there is constant beauty for the eye, and no unpleasant shopping features.
—Bacause there are so many "BESTS" among the merchandise and so many "LEASTS" among the prices.

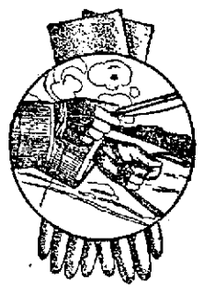


Suspenders
Handkerchiefs
Underwear
Umbrellas
Bath Robes

Best Gifts for Men

Useful Presents Are Longest Remembered and Most Highly Valued

CHRISTMAS presents are always difficult of selection for a great many people, and it often happens that some useless novelty or trinket is chosen in the belief some folks have that the gifts should be something the recipient wouldn't buy himself. There is nothing more appropriate for members of the family or intimate friends than some seasonable gift in wearing apparel. In the list of suggestions offered in this advertisement you will find the very articles men and boys would prefer to find in their Christmas stockings.



Kid Gloves
Wool Gloves
Wool Sweaters
Fancy Shirts
White Shirts

Lisle Hosiery
Silk Hosiery
Wool Hosiery
Cotton Hosiery
Fancy Vests

Silk Neckwear
Silk Mufflers
Silk Reefers
Night Shirts
Pajama Suits

For "Her"--Some Appropriate Suggestions

Pyrography Outfits
Leather Goods
Post Card Albums
Christmas Cards
Art Linens
Fancy Goods
Linen 'Kerchiefs
Lace 'Kerchiefs
Neck Furs and Muffs
Fur Jackets

Umbrellas
Veils and Veiling
Kid Gloves
Decorated Fans
Lace Neckwear
Silk Petticoats
Silk Waists
Lace Waists
Pretty Kimonos
Leather Belts

Fine Stationery
Table Linens
Linen Napkins
House Slippers
Dress Slippers
Sorosis Shoes
Wool Blankets
Lace Curtains
Warm Comforters
Feather Boas

Rain Coats
Covert Coats
Evening Wraps
Tailored Suits
Silk Hosiery
Lisle Hosiery
Cotton Hosiery
Wool Underwear
Trimmed Hats
Muslin Wear

Our Great Window Display of Fancy China, Cut Glass, Dinner Sets, Bric-a-Brac and Statuary is Full of Xmas Hints and Bargains

Buy Early—you'll have time to make your selections leisurely, and have unbroken stocks to choose from.

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THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
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Kahns' Glove, Shoe and Merchandise Orders save time and worry. They're good in any department.

MUSICAL CLUB PLANS AN EARLY CELEBRATION

Program Suitable for Holiday Season to be Rendered.

FRUITVALE, Dec. 13.—The program arranged by the Fruitvale Forum for this evening will partake of a Christmas character and will prove an unusually attractive evening. The program, while not complete, will be substantially as follows:

Piano solo, selected, Miss Emma Grimwood; reading from Henry Van Dyke, Burton M. Palmer; organ solo, from "The Messiah" (Handel), C. M. T. Parker; "Christmas Carols" (Nevin), Fruitvale Forum quartet; reading, selected, J. Spencer Riley; soprano solo, "The Robin's Return," Mrs. Blake Alverson; recitation, "The Bethelem Star," Miss Mary Seely; tenor solos (a) selected, (b) "Noel" (Adam), Frank Fowden; soprano solo, "Under the Silent Stars" (Coombs), Mrs. Anson Hilton; reading, "The First Christmas Tree" (Van Dyke), Miss Elsie Marwedel; soprano solo, "For the Sake of the Past" (Mattei), Mrs. Blake Alverson; "Carols" (Old English), Fruitvale Forum quartet.

The Forum meets at the Fruitvale Congregational Church, Fruitvale avenue and Sixteenth street, and a cordial invitation is extended to all music lovers.

COW WAS NOT A COW, BUT A HEIFER, SAYS LAWYER

Unique Defense Wins Case in Richmond Court.

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—S. D. Trowbridge filed a complaint against James Dooling, avering that the latter allowed one of his cows to run at large and injure his trees and property. Mr. Dooling set up the unique defense that the cow particularly described in the case was nothing more than a heifer, and that the city ordinance did not prescribe against heifers running at large. Dooling was dismissed.

SUSPECT CHEMIST IS OF UNSOUND MIND

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—Alexander Kerr Spiers, who was arrested yesterday at San Pablo, will be taken to Martinez for an examination before the insanity commission. Spiers claims that he is a chemist, and that he formerly lived in New York. He claims that he has more recently been employed by Healy & Tibbitts.

T. McGinness, the Macdonald avenue produce man, received two and one-half tons of produce yesterday by way of the new boat line, which was landed at the machine shops wharf.

C. H. Pramberg, representative of the Diamond Mill Company, of Black Diamond, was in town yesterday in the interests of his concern. He is making an effort to place the product of the mill directly in the hands of the retailer.

OUR REGULAR SATURDAY SPECIAL

Tomorrow, Dec. 14th

SALE ENDS AT 10 P. M.

The bargain for our patrons at this week's special is

ROASTERS!

It's up to you to eat a good Christmas dinner. Nothing but a Roaster will put flavor into your Meat, Fowl or Game. A perfect Roaster improves the article to be cooked a 100 per cent. You certainly require a Roaster, so don't let your Christmas pass without one. At the prices we are selling them anyone can afford to buy one. Look at these prices:

ROASTERS

	Size.	Reg.	PRICE. Special.
No. 1 Reed's Flintstone	15½x10½x7	$2.50	$2.00
No. 2 Reed's Flintstone	16½x11x7½	$3.00	$2.50
No. 3 Reed's Flintstone	17x11½x8	$3.50	$3.00
No. 4 Reed's Flintstone	18x12½x8½	$4.00	$3.50
No. 1 Royal Enamel	14x10x7	$2.00	$1.50
No. 2 Royal Enamel	16x11x8	$2.50	$2.00
No. 3 Royal Enamel	18x12x9	$3.00	$2.50
Savory, all steel	17x11½x7½	$1.50	$1.25

On Saturday, Dec. 21st, we will have a special sale of

CARVERS

Don't fail to come in and buy a set. Will make a most suitable Christmas gift.

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Danderine

GREW MISS LEWIS' HAIR AND WE CAN PROVE IT

The Great Danderine Never Fails to Produce the Desired Results

MISS Lewis' hair was very thin and it was less than two feet in length when she began using Danderine. She says her hair and scalp are now fairly **teeming with new life and vigor.**

That's the main secret of this great remedy's success as a hair grower. It enlivens, invigorates and fairly electrifies the **hair glands** and **tissues** of the scalp, causing unusual and unheard-of activity on the part of these two most important organs, **resulting in a strenuous and continuous growth of the hair.**

The following is a reproduction of Miss Lewis' last letter.

January 3, 1905

Dear Doctor Knowlton.—

You know I told you in my first letter that my hair would not reach much below my shoulders, and that all of it together only made one tiny braid.

I am sending you my photograph, which I had taken at Stevens Bros. It tells the whole story better than I can tell it.

Everybody I know is using Danderine, so you see I am doing something to show my appreciation.

Sincerely yours, (Miss) EVA LEWIS.

Danderine makes the scalp healthy and fertile and keeps it so. It is the greatest scalp fertilizer and therefore the greatest **hair-producing remedy** the world has ever known. It is a natural food and a wholesome medicine for both the hair and scalp. **Even a 25c bottle of it will put more genuine life in your hair than a gallon of any other hair tonic ever made. It shows results from the very start.**

NOW at all druggists in three sizes. **25 cents, 50 cents and $1. per bottle**

FREE. To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to any one who sends this advertisement to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and 10 cents in silver or stamps to pay postage

GETS BEHIND PARDEE BOOM

F. R. Porter, Erstwhile Booster for Hayes, Writes Letter to Roosevelt.

F. R. Porter, who was once "booster" for the gubernatorial aspirations of "Black" Hayes of San Jose, and who later sued Hayes for work done, has now loomed out as backer for the candidacy of former Governor Pardee for the Vice-Presidency.

For some time the whisper has been going around that former Governor George C. Pardee was seeking a nomination as the Republican candidate for Vice-President of the United States. Recently, when Pardee visited Washington, Congressman J. R. Knowland of the Third District, who is one of his most determined political enemies, took him up to President Roosevelt and jollied his Vice-Presidential ambition a good deal in the President's presence and elsewhere.

PORTER'S LETTER.

Here is the letter that Porter addressed to President Roosevelt November 27, in which the President is addressed as "Dear Mr. Roosevelt," and intimation given that the matter contained in the letter is none of the business of Secretary Loeb:

"Dear Mr. Roosevelt, President of the Republic: This letter is on personal and not official business, and so it is not within the purview, possibly, of Secretary William Loeb or his colleagues.

"George C. Pardee, recently Governor of California, and my friend, is to be in Washington presently as chairman of the California delegation to the rivers and harbors national convention. I have advised Pardee, whom you first met at Redlands, the State, to be a candidate for Vice-President of the United States, 1908-12 term. Pardee's public policies have ever been of the Roosevelt type, though necessarily in a minor degree.

COMPARED WITH ROOSEVELT.

"His record is of that character through his career as a member of the Board of Health of Oakland, 1889-1891; ward councilman of Oakland, 1891-1893; mayor of Oakland, now a town of 225,000 population, 1893-1895, and Governor of California 1903-1907. In some ways his civil life resembles that of Theodore Roosevelt—member of the New York legislature; police commissioner of New York City; Assistant Secretary of the Navy; Governor of New York; Vice-President of the Union, and now President thereof.

"The Lincoln-Roosevelt League, of which Pardee was a founder in California, has captured the great cities of San Francisco, Oakland and Sacramento, and I count Los Angeles in that column. Next year's State delegation to the National Republican convention will be in the Roosevelt interest. It is meet that New York and California, the two extremes, should be in just such a position on the national ticket in 1908. But I will not extend the argument in favor of a Roosevelt-Pardee coalition."

To this letter Secretary Loeb has sent the following reply:

"My Dear Sir: Your communication of the 27th ultimo has been received and will be called to the attention of the President."

WRIT COMMANDS EARLY HEARING

District Court Orders Justice to Give Prisoner Trial.

Attorney F. E. McGuire this morning was granted a writ of mandate by Judge McKin ordering Justice of the Peace Edgar of Berkeley to immediately proceed with the examination of William Wiley, charge dwith threatening to kill William Faught of Berkeley, October 20, or show cause in the Superior Court why he has not done so. McGuire claims that Edgar imposed a bond of $5500 upon Wiley which was exorbitant and that ever since then he has been confined in the county jail. He says that he has repeatedly asked Edgar to proceed with the examination, but that he has refused to do so. Wiley claims he was intoxicated when he threatened Faught. McGuire claims it is against all law to hold a man without a preliminary hearing.

ELECT NEW VESTRY AND TWO SETS OF DELEGATES

Trinity Church's Annual Parish Meeting is Held.

At the annual parish meeting of Trinity Church, located at Twenty-ninth street and Telegraph avenue, held last evening in Guild Hall, a new vestry wass appointed, those named being Joseph Sanders, Julien Nathieu, Leo R. Weil, W. B. Bakewell, John Hampton, M. K. Miller, L. N. Snyder, E. M. Sanborn, F. W. Reyland and F. J. Herthel. The officers of the vestry are Julien Nathieu, senior warden; Joseph Sanders, junior warden; E. M. Sanborn, secretary; and F. W. Reyland, treasurer.

The following delegates to the Diocesan convention, which will meet in Trinity Church in San Francisco on January 28, Julien Nathieu, John Bakewell Jr., E. M. Sanborn and F. J. Herthel.

Delegates to the session of the House of Churchwomen, which will meet at the same time as the Diocesan convention, are as follows: Mrs. John Bakewell, Joseph Sanders, Mrs. M. T. Mott, Mrs. J. E. McElrath and Mrs. Abram Bower.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer were presented and show that the church prospered in the past year. An assistant has been called, a new mission established and there has been an increase of 23 1-3 per cent in the receipts. Rev. Clifton Macon is rector of Trinity Church.

THIRD MAN ARRESTED IN JEWEL ROBBERY CASE

Prisoner Was at Saloon When Loss of Gems Occurred.

Deputy Sheriffs J. H. Reilly and George Wales yesterday afternoon placed William Vierra of Hayward under arrest on suspicion of being implicated in the jewelry robbery of F. A. Ward, a San Francisco jeweler, who claims he was robbed of $1000 worth of diamonds and jewelry at the Halfway House on the Dublin road. William and Henry Backstedt, father and son, and owners of the inn, have already been arrested for the crime. All of the accused men bear the best of reputation and tell straightforward stories, denying the allegation.

Vierra, who is 30 years old, has spent all of his life at Hayward and the surrounding country. Vierra was at the saloon the afternoon that Ward alleges he was robbed and for this reason he was taken into custody.

APPRAISERS VALUE DIFFERENT ESTATES

Daniel McCarthy, J. B. Lanktree and A. J. Flood, appraisers of the estate of the late Ida M. Anderson, have appraised the estate at $2640. The estate of the late Robert W. Beck has been appraised at $10,200. This consists of a life insurance policy in the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company for $3000, another with the same company for $2000, and a third in the Union Central Life Insurance Company for $5000.

Saturday---Two Hundred and Seventy-eight Net Waists, the $6.50 Value at $2.95

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Saturday Morning

Greater crowds come to this store each morning. We have encouraged early morning shopping, and you have shown your recognition of it by attending these early morning sales. Tomorrow we offer the following:

SATURDAY MORNING.

Blanket Robes, all colors and new designs. Saturday morning—each.... $1.09

SATURDAY MORNING.

81x90 extra heavy, like linen Bed Sheets; regular $1.00 value. Six to a customer—ea.... 77c

SATURDAY MORNING.

Scrap Book and Postal Card Albums; regular 50c. Saturday morning—ea.... 25c

SATURDAY MORNING.

35 dozen Ladies' Fine Lisle Hose, Hermsdorf dye; positively fast black, with pure white lisle sole. Regular 50c value. Saturday Special—pair.... 35c

SATURDAY MORNING.

New importation of Ladies' Silk Tights—just arrived. Colors: Black, Cream, Pink or Blue; ankle or knee lengths; —all sizes. Reg. $2.25 value. Saturday special—pair.... $1.75

SATURDAY MORNING ONLY.

60c to 85c Fancy Silk Ribbon.... 39c

300 yards of wide, fancy Ribbon, in Plaid, Stripe, Check and Dresden effects; all the new colorings, from 4½ to 7 inches wide. Worth to 85c. Special Saturday Morning—yd.... 39c

SATURDAY MORNING.

$1.00 Belts.... 48c

200 only, new Elastic and Leather Belts, with new buckle sets, in all colors. Real $1.00 values. Saturday morning—ea.... 48c

SATURDAY MORNING.

A 50c Ladies' Hand Embroidered Initial Pure Linen Handkerchief; 32c each or box of six.... $1.85

SATURDAY MORNING.

Just a flyer for early shoppers, 100 dozen of the best pure linen Ladies' Handkerchiefs; hand embroidered initial, with three styles of embroidered designs to the box. Worth 50c each. Special Saturday morning, $1.85 box or—ea.... 32c

SATURDAY MORNING.

$1.25 and $1.50 Collar and Cuff Boxes 98c.

50 only, pretty Collar and Cuff Boxes, silk lined, in pretty designs. Worth to $1.50 each. Special Saturday morning—box.... 98c

SATURDAY MORNING.

$7.50 Black Taffeta Waists.... $3.95

100 Waists, in plain tailored or trimmed styles. Worth $7.50 for.... $3.95

SATURDAY MORNING.

$1.50 Sailor Caps for boys or misses. Blues, Browns and Reds.... 98c

Made of Striped Flannelette, full flounce—39c for.... 29c

SATURDAY MORNING.

Men's $1.00 Flannelette Night Shirts. 89c.

A limited quantity of Men's $1.00 Flannelette Night Shirts, in assorted Fancy Blue, Pink and Black and White, full length and well finished, in all sizes. On sale Saturday morning, 8:30 to 12 a. m.... 89c

SATURDAY MORNING.

Men's $2.00 Wool Jerseys.... $1.69

A limited quantity of Men's $2.00 Wool Jerseys, in Black, White, Oxford, Cardinal and Navy, with the double neck and cuffs, and elastic bottom; will be on sale Saturday morning from 8:30 a. m. to 12 a. m.... $1.69

SATURDAY MORNING.

Men's 50c Silk Reversible Ties.... 39c

Our complete stock of Men's 50c, all silk reversible Ties, consisting of all this season's patterns; just the kind you want to get for the Holidays. On sale Saturday morning from 8:30 a. m. to 12 a. m.... 39c

Glad News from Our Busy Bazaar

Best Line of Dolls in America—from the Cheapest at 5c to the Very Best

THE WORLD'S EVERYTHING IN DOLLS

Every maker at home and abroad contributes his good things to this fine showing. If a doll is old and staple, we have it. If it is new and promising, we have it. If it is a seller, we have it. In the popular priced dolls, which make or mar a retail department, we are without competition.

The great variety of dolls in our store is so large and extensive that we cannot quote all the prices, which range from

5c to $10.00—See Window

DOLLS' DRESSES

A splendid variety of dolls' dresses, made of pretty lawn, nicely trimmed; put up in pretty boxes, a splendid variety; 35c to $7.00.

DOLL HATS AND WIGS

In a splendid assortment.

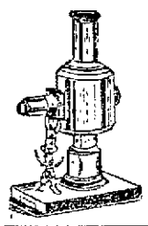
DOLL TRUNKS

Doll trunks, strongly made; our prices are right.

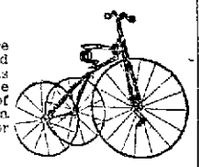
DOLL BUGGIES

The children are always delighted with the doll buggy. Prices from 25c up.

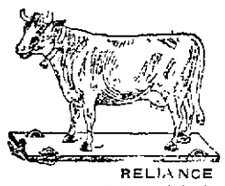
WHEEL GOODS

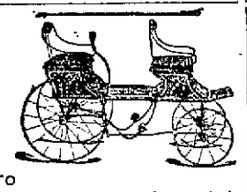


No more pleasure comes to the child around Christmas time than to be the possessor of one of our wheel goods, a Wagon, Velocipede, or Auto.



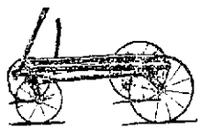
Before leaving this store we give you a guarantee that all our wheel goods are absolutely perfect. We deliver all wheel goods free of charge.





RELIANCE AUTO

Body—14x36 inch, with brass trimmings and leather upholstered seat, as shown in cut. Has bronze rail and steel fenders and steps attached to side of body; muffler attached to rear. Gear—Enameled green, rubber tires.



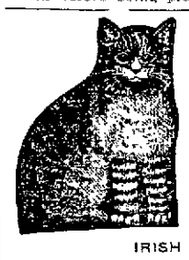
Price $1.75

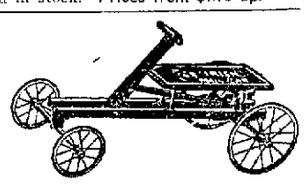
BENT-RAIL WAGON

Bodies are painted red, striped and ornamented. The bent rail is ⅞-inch round, mounted on ¾-inch round stakes, 7 inches high. On each side of the body in place of a stake a ¼x7-inch bolt is used. Gears are green enameled. Wheels are tinplated.

VELOCIPEDES

Every velocipede that comes to this store is thoroughly tested before being placed in stock. Prices from $1.75 up.





Each $6.50

IRISH MAIL HAND CAR

The favorite toy for healthy, happy childhood. Good fun, exercises the lungs and entire body; made of heavy hickory and steel, attractive finish, brightly tinned wheels, automobile gearing, heavy spokes and hubs; front wheels 8 inch, back 12 inch, ⅞-inch rubber tires. Each $6.50.

TRICYCLES—Our variety of Tricycles will please you, priced at $3.50 and up.

GAMES FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Careful Selection Counts for Much in This Line.

America's choicest collection of the games which please young and old. All the known favorites are here, an department shows more judicious selection. It will pay to see our line. The assortment is large. Foxy Grandpa, Foxy Christmas, Tree Game, the latest game, "Trolley," Table Tennis, Dressing the New Woman, A Watermelon Frolic, Parcheesi, Universal Spelling Board, Parlor Floor Croquet. These are a few of the many games we have on hand.

CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS.

There is no more extensive line of Ornaments on the Pacific Coast than what we carry. Put up in pretty boxes.

TEDDY BEAR.

Popular as ever are the Teddy Bears. Soft, stuffed, long plush, jointed limbs; turning head; well modeled; most all with voice.

Price from 49c to $7.00.

SHOENHUT PIANOS.

Genuine Shoenhut Pianos, toys that are real musical instruments. Every key strikes a true, accurate, musical note. Sound produced by indestructible steel plates. Tone never changes and piano never gets out of tune. Made of wood rightly proportioned and handsomely finished. Instruction book free with each piano.

Price 25c to $1.00.

TEDDY BEAR DOLLS.

Paper Teddy Bear Dolls, five dresses on the set. Dress the bear and make it look right. 15c the set.

DIME REGISTER BANK.

This Bank will register 100 deposits or $10, at which point it will read zero or ($000c). Bank is securely riveted and will open when it is filled with 100 ten-cent pieces. Price, 95c.

Holiday Neckwear

Our assortment is, as usual, most complete and includes Real Irish Collars and Cuff Sets, Real Irish Crochet Lace Stocks, Duchess and Real Baby Irish Chemisettes, with and without cuffs, Princess and Duchess Lace Stocks and Turnovers, Real Point Appliqué Fronts, Real Hand Run Spanish Scarfs. Prices from

$4.00 to $17.50 each

Holiday Glove Specials

Ladies' Elbow Length P. X. M. London Cape Gloves. (Just like Dent's—a pair.... $2.95

Fitted and warranted.

Ladies' 16-Button Length P. X. M. London Cape Gloves—a pair.... $3.45

Fitted and warranted.

Ladies' 8-Button Length Perrin Freres French Kid Gloves—a pair.... $2.50

Fitted and warranted.

Ladies' 8-Button Length P. X. M. London Cape Gloves—a pair.... $2.48

We are sole agents for the Famous Alexandre Kid Gloves—the glove which has held the supremacy for more than 40 years.

Great Sale of Imported Novelty Fans 25c each

Just received direct from Vienna, Austria; (our own importation) 500 dozen of the latest novelty in Fans. These are made of a newly made material that is so dainty that it resembles fairy land. They are hand painted and come with tinsel and spangles. Values to 75c. Saturday and Monday Only—each.... 25c

Holiday Hand Bags

Have you seen our many styles of Hand Bags? The assortment consists of the latest models and are from the most skilled shops, making an article of best stock and a most suitable present. Other grades from

75c to $45.00

All leather goods lettered free.

A Sale of Neckwear

25c, 50c and 75c each

Values From 50c to $1.50.

Over 400 styles of New Neckwear to be sold Saturday at prices where two can be bought at the same price as you would ordinarily pay for one. These include Bows for those Linen Collars, Jabots, Fancy Stocks, Lace Collars, Turnovers, Fluffy Ruffle Stocks, Lace and Lawn Ties, Windsor Ties, etc., etc., etc.

50c Styles—each.... 25c

$1.00 Styles—each.... 50c

$1.50 Styles—each.... 75c

Every Man

That comes to this store, will experience no difficulty in finding a suitable gift be it for the man or the lady. We are splendidly prepared for Holiday choosing.

Handkerchiefs for the Holidays

Great Reductions in Furs

Our entire stock of High Grade Furs at reduced prices for the Holidays. All real furs at a discount of 25 per cent. The cheaper grades are reduced even more in some lines—the reduction is nearly one half. There are Real Mink, Jap Mink, Ermine, Sable and Isabella Fox, Persian Lamb, Astrakhans, Mouffloon, Black Lynx, Squirrel, Sable Squirrel; in all the new shapes of Scarfs, Stoles, Ties, Muffs and Jackets.

$200.00 Mink.... $150.00

$165.00 Mink.... $123.75

$135.00 Mink.... $101.25

$100.00 Mink.... $75.00

$75.00 Mink.... $56.25

$50.00 Mink.... $37.50

Children's Sets at a discount of 15 per cent, in light or dark Furs from.... $1.95 up

Merchandise Orders

Let the recipients do their own selecting by giving them one of our merchandise orders. It's easy for you—it is easy for them. Our holiday stock is large and the selections made easy.

Great Reductions in Waist Dep't

HOLIDAY OPPORTUNITIES.

Our stock of High of High-Grade Furs at reduced prices duced for the Holiday selling. All odds and ends of broken lines reduced over one-third to close out. These goods are the season's latest models.

$35.00 Waists.... $22.50

$25.00 Waists.... $16.50

$20.00 Waists.... $13.50

$18.50 Waists.... $12.50

$15.00 Waists.... $10.00

$12.50 Waists.... $7.50

$10.00 Waists.... $6.50

Sample Line of Necklaces at Less than Half-Price—Holiday Savings

Just in time, to make Holiday Gifts, we place on sale the entire sample line of the foremost importer of high-grade Necklaces in America. These were bought at a fraction of their real value and to assist you in making your money reach further we place them on sale at less than half price. Among this lot is every style and color and includes real cut Jet, Real Amber, Real Stones, Real Coral, Pearl, Cut Crystal, Iridescent, etc. On sale beginning Saturday. Worth 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 to $12.50 each. Now 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 45c, to $4.50.

Saturday's Cuts in Millinery

All our New York and Paris Models will be sold one-half off marked price.

All our $15 and $18 Hats will be sold for.... $6.95

All our $8 and $10 Hats will be sold for.... $3.45

A handsome Christmas present—one that every lady would love to have—a beautiful willow plume in colors; $30.00 values. Sale price.... $20.00

Great Reductions in Children's Dep't

Our entire stock of Children's Coats reduced about one-third to reduce our stock. The styles are of the newest and only the best materials and linings and workmanship have been used in making these garments.

CHILDREN'S SERGE COATS.

Red and Navy Serge, well lined; brass buttons and Teddy Bear emblem; worth $6.00— for.... $3.95

$12.50 CHILDREN'S COATS $6.95.

We are heavily overstocked on Children's Coats and our stock must be reduced, our entire line of Coats that have sold up to $12.50; in plain colors and mixtures. Ages 7 to 14 years. For this sale.... $6.95

Crockery and Genuine Cut Glass Sale

Get what is left at unheard-of prices. People who bought today showed their amazement at our low prices.

Holiday Handkerchiefs

A Complete Assortment

Ladies' Fine Swiss Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box.... $1.50 box

Ladies' Initial Linen Handkerchiefs; 6 for.... $1.50

French Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs.... 25c, 35c, 50c to $2.50 ea

Children's Linen Handkerchiefs;... 35c, box of 3

Children's Initialed Handkerchiefs.... 19c and 25c box of 3

Men's and Ladies' Plain Linen Handkerchiefs; box of 6, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00.

Plain Linen Handkerchiefs for ladies and men, at $1.00, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.75, $3.75, $5.50 and $8.50 a dozen.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs; 6 for.... 50c

Real Duchess Handkerchiefs, from 75c to $25.00

Real Armenian Lace Handkerchiefs, from 50c to $3.50.

Ladies' Hand Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, 50c.... $3.00, box of 6

Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs.... 50c

Men's Plain and Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs.... 50c to $2.00

Boys' Silk Initial Handkerchiefs.... 25c

Men's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs—25c, 35c and 50c each, or $1.50, $2.00 $3.00, box of 6.

Children's Teddy Bear Suit Cases; Telephone Novelty Handkerchiefs.... 50c box

Hand Embroidered Corset Covers

A gift that is worthy of some thought is one of our Hand Embroidered Corset Covers, packed complete. One in a box. Prices

$2.00 to $4.00 ea

Lace & Spangled Robes

Are Appropriate Gifts

A gift, out of the ordinary lines which means an agreeable surprise, would be a lace or spangled robe. We have them in Special Cartons. Prices from

$12.50 to $55.00

The Holiday Store for Men

USEFUL HOLIDAY GIFTS.

MEN'S SMOKING JACKETS and BATH ROBES from $5.00 up.

We have a complete and exclusive line of Men's Smoking and Bath Robes, and would be pleased to have you call and investigate before purchasing. We are sure our line will be interesting—up.... $5.00

MEN'S SILK MUFFLERS and REEFERS, 75c up.

It will pay to visit our Gent's Furnishing Department and examine our Silk Mufflers and Reefers of which we have a complete line; in all colors and shapes, from.... 75c up

HIT WITH BOARD AND THEN ROBBED

Thug Knocks Victim Down and Companion Thrusts Revolver Into His Face.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Beaten over the head with a board in the hands of two vicious thugs and dragged into an alleyway, robbed at the point of a pistol and left in a semi-conscious condition, Edward E. Reese was scarcely able to drag himself to his home last evening and report the affair to the police.

Reese, who is employed by the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, left the office last evening about 8 o'clock and was walking on Mission street between New Montgomery and Third, when a man approached carrying a board. Reese was very much surprised when the man raised the board and struck him over the head, felling him to the ground. At this juncture a second thug approached, who held a pistol close to his victim's head, and the two then dragged him into an alleyway, where they went through his pockets, taking $40 in gold, but overlooking $60 in certificates which he carried in the pistol pocket of his trousers.

Reese can give a very poor description of the men, as it was extremely dark at the place where the robbery occurred.

CABBAGE AND NUT SALAD.

Chop fine some firm cabbage. To two cups of the cabbage mix three tablespoons of finely chopped or ground peanuts. Make a dressing of five tablespoons of olive oil, two tablespoons of salt and a little paprika. Mix the dressing with the cabbage.—Good Housekeeping.

FORGER LEAVES WIFE PENNILESS

Funeral Held Over Remains of Richmond Youth Who Ended His Own Life.

The body of C. L. Marsh, the young Standard Oil paymaster from Richmond, who forged checks to the amount of nearly $1000, and when brought to bay in San Diego shot himself upon entering the police station, arrived last night in this city and was taken to the undertaking parlors of Albert Brown. The wife, who, with a little 18-months-old daughter, is left penniless to bear the brunt of life, identified the remains yesterday.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from Brown's. The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

The case is one which attracted considerable attention, both because of the prominence of the dead man, who was a paymaster in the marine service of the Standard Oil, and because of the circumstances which led to the act.

CAUGHT IN ACT.

The young man's deed is attributed to his penchant for gambling. After dissipating his salary in satisfying his passion for life around the green table, Marsh attempted to raise money by forging the names of J. P. Smith, assistant secretary, and E. A. Gowe, treasurer, of the Standard Oil Company. He was caught in the act, but under promises that he would refrain from like work in the future, he was discharged and the prosecution dropped. He immediately, however, bade farewell to his wife and child, took the ferry across the bay, forged a small check and left for Los Angeles, where he operated quite extensively before arrested.

CORTELYOU AND HUGHES TO FIGHT

Will Battle Now for Control of Republican Delegation From New York.

(Special to The Tribune.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Every politician of the Republican persuasion in this city has an opinion upon Roosevelt's intention not to again become a candidate for the Presidency. From the various opinions expressed it is to be deduced that the position of the President will force the conservative element of the party to concentrate upon some particular candidate.

Many of these politicians indicate by their talk that there will be an immediate fight in New York State between Governor Hughes and Secretary Cortelyou for the control of the delegation in that State. This, together with the need of the delegation from the southern States, makes a pretty fight in prospect.

An open advocacy of Governor Hughes' candidacy would center the fight between him and Secretary Cortelyou.

On theot her hand this would be avoided should President Roosevelt decide to swing the State for Taft. It is rumored that President Roosevelt will favor Taft's candidacy.

A BRAINY RESPONSE.

Michaelangelo, the great painter who lived several centuries ago, was asked one day by an admirer:

"What do you mix with your paints that you get such wonderful effects?"

The great painter contemplated his inquirer with surprised contempt.

"With brains! Brains, sir!" he answered.

This incident also occurred with Rembrant, Murillo, Turner, Raphael, Whistler, Vandyck and Gilbert Gaul.

'THAT'S ANOTHER LIE DECLARES CORTELYOU

Secretary Emphatically Denies He's Going to Resign.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—In answer to inquiries as to the report which gained some currency here that Secretary Cortelyou is about to resign from the cabinet, the secretary's sole comment was: "That is another lie."

"CAPTAIN'S TABLE" NO MORE.

A feature which dates back years, and one which travelers never dreamed would disappear from ocean liners, is about to pass away on the vessels of one great trans-Atlantic line at least. That feature is the captain's table.

All over the world the determination to sit at the captain's right or at his left or, if those coveted places were not available, to sit somewhere at the same board with him during meals in the first saloon, has been the motive for almost infinite maneuvering with chief stewards on the part of the passengers.

After January 1 the "captain's table" will cease to be on the express steamers of the North German Lloyd Company. Small tables are to replace the time-honored long tables, including the ones over which the captains now preside. The reason for this change is that trans-Atlantic travel is on such a big and important scale nowadays that the captain must be relieved from all unnecessary strain, even conversational. And, again, it is being found that where there are many first-class passengers, indiscriminate association of passengers and officers is inconsistent with the latter's dignity, convenience and pleasure.

TRUTH WOULD OUT.

A well-known divine tells of an amusing incident that occurred during the last Ecumenical Conference in New York.

It appears that when a member of one of the audiences rose in his place at the end of a speech and asked for the attention of all present, the presiding officer, who somehow got the idea that the member was a missionary, asked, "From what outpost do you come?"

Whereupon the member, who had not caught the exact words of the presiding officer, answered, to the edification of all, "I am from Jersey City."—Harper's Weekly.

MRS. SARAH A. DEAN SPECIAL ADMINISTRATRIX

Succeeds to Place Made Vacant by J. H. Thomas' Death.

J. H. Thomas, special administrator of the estate of the late Nelson Bump, a wealthy Sacramento river rancher, died suddenly yesterday and six hours later a petition was filed by Sarah A. Dean, daughter of Bump, asking that she be neamed special administratrix. Judge Harris granted the petition.

Under the terms of his will Bump disinherited his wife, Sarah L. Bump, leaving the entire estate to his daughters. The will was contested and after a long trial the court declared the will valid.

IT IS SAID

Lions are left-handed.

The German Emperor never travels incog.

Russia exports nearly 2,000,000,000 eggs a year.

The giant bees of India build combs ten feet high.

The owl, when she has young, brings to her nest forty mice a day.

Philip Astley, about 1770, originated the modern circus in England.

The Oxford University Press has type for printing in 150 languages.

The King of England's breakfast never varies. It is tea, toast and one egg.

Zulu children are born white. It is six months before they turn quite black.

In equatorial Africa, where salt is scarce, salt famines often occur, driving many of the natives insane; for nothing brings on madness so soon as a total deprivation of salt.

HUGHES REPUBLICANS ARE AFTER DEMOCRATS

Club Organized to Boost New Yorker for Presidency.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 13.—A large number of prominent Republicans last night organized the Charles E. Hughes Republican League of Onondaga County, electing officers and arranging to extend the organization throughout the country. It will affiliate with the Hughes league of New York City. The local club will make a fight in the primaries for national Democrats.

IS CAUGHT WITH LOOT

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 13.—Within an hour after he had burglarized the store of the Gregory Hardware Company, at 819 Golden Gate avenue, Paul Ordutary was arrested by Sergeant Birdsall and Officer Ruggles and booked at the City Prison.

Policeman Fogarty, while patroling his beat about 1 a. m., discovered that the hardware store had been broken into and immediately reported the burglary. A little later Sergeant Birdsall and Officer Ruggles noticed a man acting suspiciously at the corner of Third and Mission streets, and they decided to place him under arrest. When searched, goods to the value of $21.75, which had been stolen from the hardware company, were found on his person and he was accordingly booked for grand larceny.

SOUTHERN STATESMAN DIES AT NASHVILLE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 13.—Colonel A. S. Colyear, distinguished jurist, statesman and author, died at his home here today, aged 90 years. He was a member of the Confederate Congress.

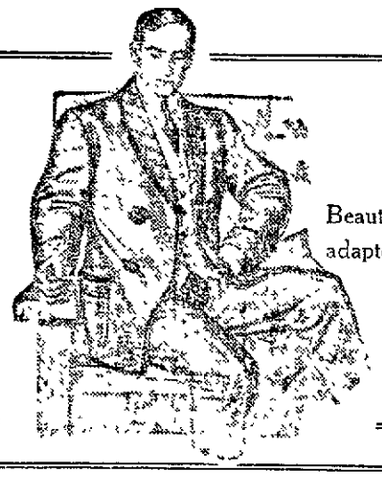
Practical Presents at Popular Prices

When in doubt--a Merchandise Order. We issue them for any amount.

Smoking Jackets

$5 to $40

A tremendous variety of these most appropriate gifts, from the most economically priced to the most luxurious; made in double faced Worombo, silk, fancy and matelasse.



Dressing Robes

$4 to $60

Beauty and comfort are combined in these splendidly adapted remembrances for the holidays. Not only are the patterns selected with an eye to taste, but the materials warm, luxurious and elegant, which makes them stand head and shoulders over the past season's showing.

Full Dress Mufflers

$1 to $5

A variety embracing elaborate styles for full dress as well as those more useful, where comfort and warmth are embodied—one of the most popular and pleasing presents in the men's line

Fancy Hosiery

25c to $3.50

Choose from a splendid lisle hose at 25c up to high-grade silk in all radiant colors at $3 50 pair. You'll find many styles between these prices, so that your choosing is bound to be one of eminent satisfaction.

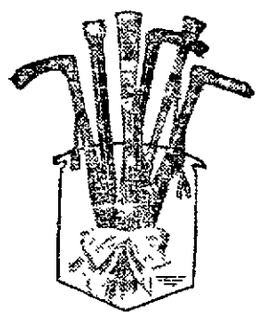
Initial Handkerchiefs

Handkerchiefs put up in neat cartoons—either single or in quantities to suit—a variety so large and extensive and so modestly priced that it really must be seen to be appreciated.

Umbrellas

$1 to $15

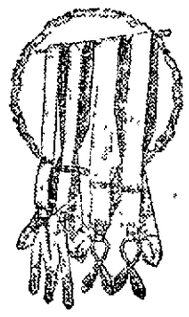
If it's an umbrella you have in mind you'll find not only a splendid assortment at our stores but that the prices are a great deal lower and that your money will go a great deal farther than in any other store in the city.



Shirts

$1 to $5

High grade shirts make mighty fine Christmas presents, especially the ones we have just received for just that purpose.



Suspenders

25c to $2.50

In handsome boxes we place handsome suspenders which make handsome gifts—It makes little difference whether you buy the cheapest or the best, as all our suspenders are practicable and popular.

Boys' Sweaters and Jerseys

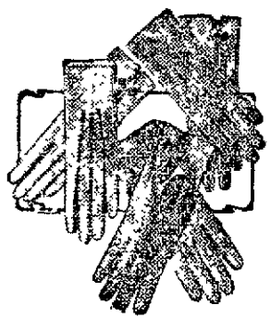
For the little tots two years old to boys fourteen or fifteen, these warm, comfortable sweaters and jerseys make gifts that should prove acceptable. You will find our assortment includes all styles, both practicable and popular. Priced from $1 to $2.50.

High-Grade Undergarments

Imported silk underwear—silk and wool mixtures of high lustrous weaves; direct importations from Saxony and put up in such a manner that they are especially appropriate for Christmas gift giving. Moderately priced.

Gloves

It is hardly necessary to remind you that we sell two dollar gloves for $1.65, and at this season of the year when a pair of gloves is so much desired for gift-giving purposes this price cut on a regular $2 standard glove to $1.65 should be most opportune. Should you not know the size, one of our glove orders covers the ground.



Neckwear

Our bevy of bewitching high-grade scarfs is radiant in splendor—a galaxy of color effects enabling you to choose from the most conservative to the most extravagant ideas of silk weaver's art. At 50c we show a tremendous variety, and if your purse permits you may go as far as $3 50 An immense variety at all prices in between.

Night Shirts and Pajamas

The styles that we have for Christmas giving are a little more elaborate and a little more fancy than those usually sold. Heavy Japanese silk—genuine pongees, silk and linen mixtures; satin and mercerized Sausettes. Priced from $1.50 to $15.

Travelers' Requisites

Dress suit cases, grips and small leather goods, covering a multitude of articles appropriate and desirable for those who travel form another page in our interesting book of practicable presents for practicable people at practicable prices.

Open Evenings

S·N·WOOD & Co

The Big Store — Market at 4th
Uptown Store — Fillmore and Ellis
Downtown Store — 730 Market
Oakland Store — Washington at 11th

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FUNSTON PREPARING HIS SECOND REPORT

Machine Guns Installed by Troops at Goldfield.

Photographed specially for The Tribune by Welch & Tune.

ONLY ONE MINE WORKING AT GOLDFIELD

Owners to Abolish Card System as Concession.

GOLDFIELD Dec 13—That the number of men working on the Consolidated and Mohawk properties today is greater than was claimed by the Mine Owners Association this morning. No strike ... arrived though a trainload is ... for later in the day. There is little excitement.

After making an attempt to resume work at the Mohawk combination mine this morning the management decided not enough men had appeared for work and gave up the attempt. This leaves the Consolidated the only mine working in the ... and most of the men are above ground. Not nearly enough men are working under ground to keep the mills going with ore and as a consequence more men will have to be brought in from outside or the mill will close before the end of the week. About the same number appeared this morning as yesterday.

It is announced today that as a concession to the union miners by the Owners association the card system is to be abandoned and the old men permitted to go back to work whether they renounce the Western Federation or not.

A sympathetic strike of railroad men on the two lines running in and out of Goldfield which has been threatened would not affect the situation greatly as there have been no large shipments of ore out of the camp for several weeks and the leasers and owners do not expect to resume shipments for some time.

General Funston is at work today upon a second report to Washington and consulted with several of the men on both sides.

KUROPATKIN TESTIFIES IN BEHALF OF STOESSEL

BLAMES VICEROY FOR FORT'S FALL

Says War Plans Were Made on Supposed Invincibility of Russian Fleet

GENERAL KUROPATKIN.

ST PETERSBURG Dec 13—General Kuropatkin testified at the court martial of General Stoessel and other army officers charged with needlessly surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese that the Japanese could have taken Port Arthur by assault in the early days of the war as the defences were then incomplete. On the whole Kuropatkin's evidence was favorable to General Stoessel.

The conduct of General Fock who is charged with responsibility for the defeat of Nanshan and the subsequent retirement to Port Arthur also was reviewed by the court and the evidence of Kuropatkin was helpful to this officer as well.

THOUGHT FLEET GOOD

Kuropatkin declined to answer several questions on the ground that to do so would make known military secrets but he did say that the whole plan of the war was based upon the supposed invincibility of the Russian fleet and that the original scheme for the defense of Port Arthur could not be carried out successfully after the squadron had been crippled by the treacherous opening attack of the Japanese.

According to the indictment Fock's retreat from Nanchen jeopardized the fortress but Stoessel produced orders from General Kuropatkin and Viceroy Alexieff justifying Fock's retirement and he obtained the admission from Kuropatkin that the position was untenable without the assistance of the fleet. Over the fleet General Stoessel had no authority.

PROPER RETREAT

The name of former Viceroy Alexieff who has declined to appear as a witness was mentioned continually in an unfavorable light and a ripple of merriment was provoked by a phrase in one of his ... saying "The chief task of Fock is to retreat at the proper time."

General ... did not conceal his animosity toward the former viceroy and declared that Alexieff had forbidden him to visit the fortress before the siege.

CRUSHED UNDER TONS OF COKE

Stevedore Falls Into Hold of Vessel and Meets Shocking Death.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—Precipitated to the hold of the coaling vessel on which he was working by the collapse of a flimsy scaffold John Hines, a stevedore was crushed to death beneath four tons of coke which fell down upon him. Twenty men, in a frantic effort to rescue the unfortunate stevedore worked fifteen minutes removing the coke only to find that the man was dead.

The accident happened at 8:30 o'clock this morning. Hines was standing on a temporary scaffold which was overloaded with coke. It is supposed that the weight combined with the swaying of the vessel caused the timbers to give way and the man was hurled to the hold the coke falling on top of him. While the men were working in an effort to get him out an ambulance call was sent to the Harbor Hospital and a surgeon and steward were in readiness to attend the man should he be taken out alive.

After fifteen minutes work Hines' hand was seen and it was not long before his whole body was uncovered but he was already dead. Hines was 48 years old and unmarried.

SHOOTS HERSELF TWICE AND DIES

Wife of Mining Man, Whose Whereabouts Is Unknown, Ends Life in Hotel.

LOS ANGELES Dec 13—Mrs Della Jones 24 years of age wife of an Arizona mining man ... to have come lately from Chicago killed herself in her room at the Schermerhorn Inn late yesterday by shooting herself twice in the breast with a revolver. She died instantly. Ill health was the ... Her husband ... whereabouts is unknown to the friends of the dead woman. Mrs Jones came here about two months ago.

LA FOLLETTE IS AFTER NEBRASKA DELEGATES

Hopes to Turn Votes Pledged Taft in His Direction

LINCOLN Neb Dec 13—Friends of Senator La Follette today ... the fight for the Nebraska delegation at the next Republican convention. In a telephone message from the senator's supporters at Madison to Clerk F A Harrison of the Federal Court it was stated that representatives of La Follette will come to Nebraska in a few days to assist in turning the delegation from Taft who secured an indorsement at the last State convention.

HUNTER NEARLY KILLED BY MADDENED CROWS

Flock Swoops Down Upon the Unfortunate Man and Pecks Him Into a State of Insensibility.

FREEPORT Ill Dec 13—P ... Niles a hunter was ... flock of crows ... barely escaped with his life. Niles ... into the flock wounding several and the others attacked ... The man started to run but was knocked down and pecked about the face and eyes and beaten almost insensible with the birds' wings. With the greatest difficulty he crawled to a nearby door with the birds fighting him all the way and it was not until he was inside that they desisted. Niles is in a critical condition.

LANGDON TO QUIT PUBLIC SERVICE

NEW YORK Dec 13—William H Langdon will retire from active politics at the close of his forthcoming term as district attorney ... and never again will he occupy public office. At the close of his address before the Civic Forum here he ... a number of friends ... authorized the following announcement: "I have considered the matter carefully for some time and have made up my mind ... retire to private life at the end of my forthcoming term as district attorney.

"The prosecution of the grafters in San Francisco will continue until the bitter end. I am confident that the work will be ended by the time my term of office is finished two years from now."

PRINCE RE-WEDS FORMER BRIDE

Robert De Broglie and Estelle Alexander Again Married.

PARIS Dec 13—Prince Robert de Broglie yesterday announced his marriage in this city on December 10th to Estelle Alexander.

Prince de Broglie and Estelle Alexander were first married in Chicago in August 1906. His bride was the divorced wife of Sydney B Veil of that city. The match was not acceptable to the Prince's parents and his father had the union declared void by a French ... The Prince subsequently served ... upon his father of his intention ... marry Miss Alexander under ... law.

SEES NEW YORK SKYLINE IS "SKINNED" BY PILOT

Noted Russian Professor Meets an Obliging Young Man With a Box

NEW YORK Dec 13—Professor Vladimir Sviatowsky who occupies the chair of sociology in the University of St Petersburg arrived in New York yesterday. Within a few hours after his arrival he was "bounced" out of $750.

On the ship which brought the professor to America was a young Englishman whose acquaintance the professor made long before he saw the sky line of New York. The professor had never been in New York before and the obliging young Englishman offered to show him about the city. After wandering about for a time that Englishman who wore a profusion of diamonds, remembered that his diamond broker occupied offices in a building which they happened to pass. He asked the professor to wait for a moment while he went in to see him. Returning in a moment the Englishman said excitedly that he had an opportunity to purchase a fine diamond for less than it was worth but was short $750. Would the professor lend him that amount until they got back to the hotel? The professor gave him the money and held the box supposed to contain the diamond while the Englishman went back to pay the money to the dealer. He failed to return. After waiting for a long time the professor went to a police station. The box when opened was found to contain bits of old newspaper and a large horsechestnut.

DEALERS WANT MORE MONEY FOR LIQUOR

REDWOOD CITY Dec 13—The price of drinks in Redwood City has been raised by action of the local liquor dealers' association. The old rate of three for a quarter becomes a thing of the past, and after the present week ten cents straight must be paid for ordinary drams and case goods and mixed drinks will only be sent out when a "bit" a-piece is duly tendered to the barkeeper.

Don't Forget COLLINS' Bros. FIRE SALE

Tomorrow Morning

12th and Clay

Big Bargains in Xmas Gifts

Give the Boy a WATCH

Help him to appreciate the value of time.

We are Selling a Guaranteed American Timepiece

In a DUST PROOF SOLID NICKEL CASE For **$3.50**

This is only one of the many really good Christmas gifts we can show you

Open Evenings

S. SAMUELS

Gold and Silversmith

461 12th Street

NOTHING NICER

for a gift than one of our

Handsome Dresses

or one of our

Beautiful Furs

The time to get them is right now. We have them in an enormous variety—all kinds and all prices. No finer goods are shown anywhere and the prices—well you know we are going out of business and are sacrificing our stock

Far Below Cost

Elegant Dresses

Made of Net India Silk etc, in white pink blue lavender
Sold for $25 $30 $35 $40
Reduced to $12.50, $15, $17.50, $20.

Furs

For a mere song. Reliable qualities. Prices cut in two
SCARFS that were $4, now $2 and up
MUFFS that were $5 now $2.50 and up
SETS that were $9, now $4.50 and up

Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists, Petticoats

Reduced fully one-half. A big stock to select from

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459 13th Street

Between Washington and Broadway

One Thousand Teddy Bears

Saturday Saturday

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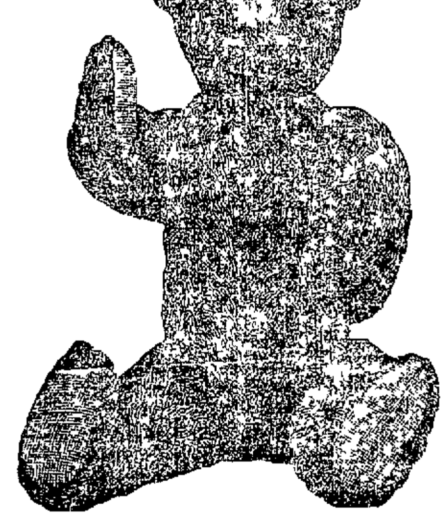
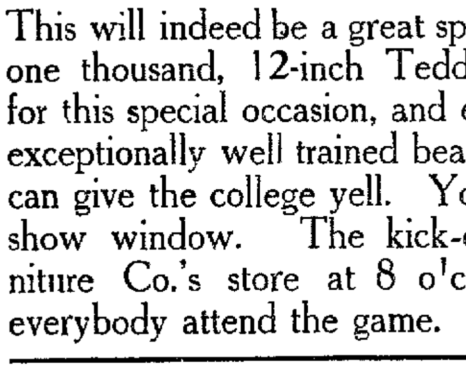


No Phone Orders None Delivered

Children's Extra Christmas Special

This will indeed be a great special for the little folks of Alameda Co. one thousand, 12-inch Teddy Bears. The country's favorite pets for this special occasion, and every child will want one. These are exceptionally well trained bears. They lie down. Stand up. They can give the college yell. You can see them playing football in our show window. The kick-off takes place at Braley-Grote Furniture Co.'s store at 8 o'clock sharp Saturday morning. Let everybody attend the game. Teddy bears 65c each.



DOLL BEDS SATURDAY 50c

Brass doll beds. Measure 18 inches long. Complete with pillows mattress and canopy. They are neatly packed in a flat box, which makes them handy to carry. An ideal Xmas gift for the little girl and would no doubt cost at least $1 other places. Our special Saturday price 50c

See Our Window Display

SPECIALS

Of everything to make children happy and comfortable. All at special prices for Saturday.

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80 Styles of Morris Chairs

SPECIALS

Every Morris chair in the entire stock at special prices for Saturday. They are ideal gifts.

Xmas Shopping at Hale's

Thousands of Beautiful Playthings

New Dolls coming in every day—hundreds of wagons in the basement, such as coasters, express wagons, foot-propelled cars and gorgeous automobiles with horn, lamps and steering gear just like a real auto. What boy is there who would not be delighted with a complete printing outfit? And what little girl is there who would not be made happy by a trip among the thousands of dolls on the third floor and see the little dollies and the great big ones—some bigger than the little girl herself?

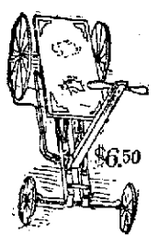
Profusion of Art Novelties
For Holiday Presents
At Hale's Art Department
The largest and best equipped Art Department in Oakland. We have on display hundreds of pretty suggestions of useful Xmas presents—our assortment is complete. Buy now—avoid the rush—prices low.

DOLLS

Full Jointed Doll—30 inches tall; papier mache body; ball and socket joints; pretty hands that move; sleeping eyes, showing pearly teeth, curly hair, parted like a little girl's; fancy slip; lace stockings; patent leather slippers. Special $5.50, regular $6.75.

Pretty, Jointed Dressed Doll—Bisque head, sleeping eyes and curly hair; dressed in silk, nicely trimmed with lace; with large, fancy straw hat. Special 95c.

Nicely Dressed Doll—Pretty face, sleeping eyes and curly hair; dressed in red, blue and other colors, hat to match; 75c.



WAGONS of Every Kind

Irish Mail Hand Car—Well geared; steel propelling handle; heavy steel wheels with rubber tires; $6.50.

Boys' Velocipedes—Heavy steel wheels; leather bicycle extension seat; $1.75 to $3.50. Rubber tires; $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00.

Automobile—Body 35x15 inches; enameled in special red with gold striping, and polished brass stripes; green steering gear; starting crank; rubber tire wheels; $6.50.

Printing Presses

Hand-Inking Press—Will print a form 1 5-8x2 5-8 inches; complete with cards, ink, type, in box; 95c.

Hand-Inking Press — Prints a form 1 3-4x3 1-8 inches; with complete set of type, ink and cards. $1.25.

Hand-Inking Press — Prints a form 2 1-2x3 1-2; one heavy roller and outfit of one font type, blank cards, ink and furniture. $3.95.

Juvenile Typewriters

$1.00 $2.50 and $5.00

Do neat, good work like the $100 machines. Are durable and well made, there being few parts to get out of order. The frame of the machine is well enameled in bright colors. This is a gift that would delight any boy or girl's heart. Ask the demonstrator to show how it works.

Art Linens Make Appropriate Gifts

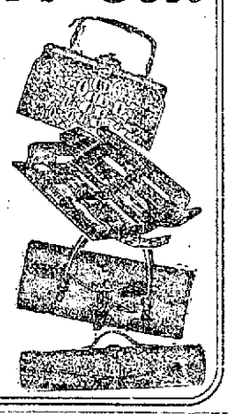
A wide assortment of the prettiest linens—in every size and price you could wish, from 10c up to $10 and over.

There are Tambour and Spachtel scarfs and squares at 25c each; Cottage Dresser Sets with doily at 59c set; and the Austrian linen squares, 6x6 inches at 6c each; also 12x12 at 10c, 18x18 at 25c, 30x30 at 50c, and 36x36 at 75c.

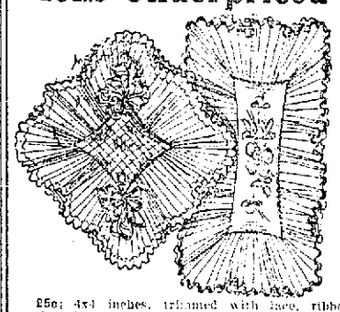
250 Drummers' Sample Handbags at Manufacturer's Cost

$15 Bags at $9, $5 and $5.50 Bags at $3.75
$3.50 Bags, $2.25

Only one of a kind, so early buying is advised. Handsome bags in the latest shapes; every one perfectly finished and made of the finest grain leather; it is a beautiful assortment that we were fortunate enough to get for our Xmas selling. The manufacturer needed the money, so HALE'S good fortune is your gain.



172 Satin Pin Cushions Underpriced



25c; 4x4 inches, trimmed with lace, ribbon and satin ruffle.
$1.15; 4x8; embroidered top; trimmed with ribbon bows and satin ruffle covered with lace net.
$1.35; 4x9 or 7x7; hand painted, ribbon and lace.
$1.75; trimmed with wide satin ribbon and point d'esprit net; in oblong and square shapes; other cushions up to $4.

Plain and Fancy Stockings for Women and Children

Women's Imported Lisle Hose; double sole, heel and toe; Hermsdorf dye; 3 pair for $1.00.

Women's Imported Lisle Hose; double foot; elastic top; embroidered in silk; colors pink, blue, white, black, gray, lemon, pearl, violet and cardinal; 50c.

Women's Fine Silk Guaze Hose; with double foot, in all the latest shades; $1.00 pair.

Children's Extra Heavy School Hose; with extra double knee and foot; fast black; 1x1 fine rib; 12 1-2c pair.

Cushion Top Remnants at 20c to 35c each piece

From fancy, plain and art tapestry; which, were the piece taken from the bolt, it would be 60c to 90c each yard. Cushions as gifts are popular this year. Tapestry and Velour remnants. They are in plain, figured and mixed colors. An opportunity of getting a good cusion top for little money. Most of the tapestry remnants are double faced and in plain and figured colors.

To Give Men for Christmas

COMBINATION SETS $1.25 EACH consisting of one pair Silk Suspenders, one pair Silk Garters and one pair of Silk Arm Bands; put up in a fancy box.

EMBROIDERED SUSPENDERS, $1.50 PAIR in black, navy, pink, red and white. Handsomely silk embroidered in such designs as roses or forget-me-nots; one pair in neat box.

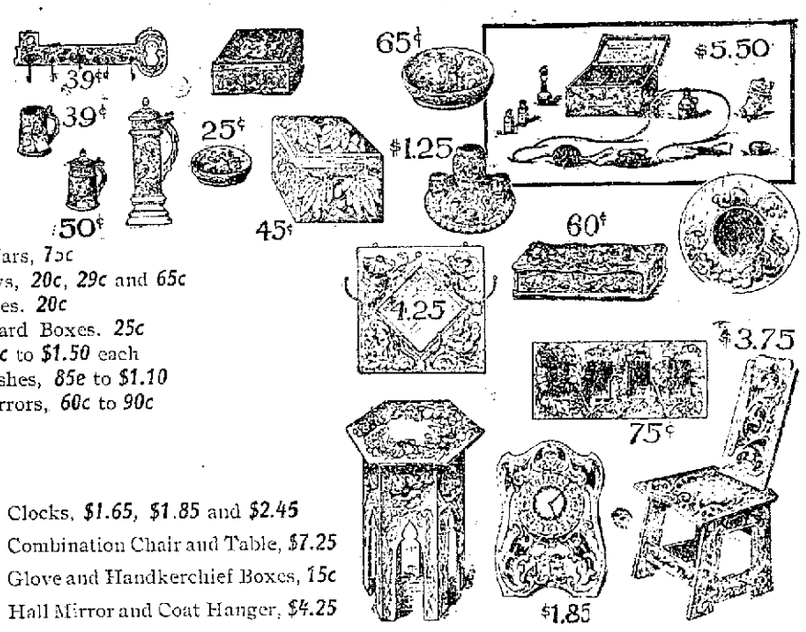
WHITE HEMSTITCHED LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—HALF DOZEN, $1.50. Finest quality pure linen; initial in one corner; in fancy box.

SILK SUSPENDERS, $1.00 PAIR. Webbing of the very best quality silk; white kid ends and high-grade trimmings; fancy colors; plain black or white.

INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 8 1-3c EACH. Large soft finish Japonette handkerchiefs; neatly hemstitched; initial embroidered in corner; all initials used.

Sale of Specially Low Priced Articles for Pyrographic Burning

We have everything that is made in the burnt wood line and our prices are right. Anyone who has compared the prices will tell you so. Here are a few numbers:



Tobacco Jars, 75c
Card Trays, 20c, 29c and 65c
Card Boxes, 20c
Double Card Boxes, 25c
Panels, 5c to $1.50 each
Hair Brushes, 85c to $1.10
Hand Mirrors, 60c to 90c
Clocks, $1.65, $1.85 and $2.45
Combination Chair and Table, $7.25
Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, 15c
Hall Mirror and Coat Hanger, $4.25

Reductions in Household Ware—in Basement

73c—1 quart Marian Harland Coffee Pots that were $1.35; 2, 3 and 4 quart at similar reductions; 4 quart size at $1.49.

98c Universal Food Chopper that was $1.20; larger sizes up to $1.98.

Last Minute Shopping NOT ONE POINT IN ITS FAVOR

MAKE a list of the persons that you wish to remember this season. Select their presents now and keep them until Xmas. If you buy now you can take your time in choosing and be sure to get just what will be the most useful or the most appreciated.

Hale's GOOD GOODS
Eleventh and Washington Streets

CONGRESSMEN ARE DELEGATES' HOSTS

Rivers and Harbors Committeemen From Oakland Guests of Knowland and Perkins.

Senator Perkins and Representative Knowland were hosts Thursday evening, December 5, at a dinner at the Metropolitan Club, in Washington, D. C., given in honor of the delegates from Oakland to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress.

During the evening there was a general exchange of ideas relative to river and harbor improvements, with special reference to the State of California. Those present were: Senator Perkins, Dr. George C. Pardee, Hon. F. A. Leach, Bernard P. Miller, Dr. A. Proctor, E. C. Sessions, Captain Girard, Charles Brennon, M. J. Laymance, B. C. Maxwell, M. S. Hamilton, Frank Short.

CONSOLIDATION PLAN IS BEING PREPARED

The executive committee of the Greater San Francisco Committee held a meeting at headquarters California Building, Union Square, San Francisco, there being present Chairman A. H. Elliot of Alameda county; H. C. Cutting of Contra Costa county; W. L. Gerstle of San Francisco county; J. H. Coleman of San Mateo county.

It was decided on account of the approaching Holidays to call a meeting of the general committee to be held during the first week in January, at which time the executive committee would have ready a report suggesting a plan of work for the general committee.

ANXIOUS TO BE HANGED

Murder of Teacher Makes Show of Religious Conversion.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Richard F. Walton, colored, was hanged here today for the murder of Mrs. Louise Grant, white, last September.

Mrs. Grant was a kindergarten instructor and had for many years managed schools of this character in connection with various local churches. Intending to move from one apartment to another, she had employed Walton to assist in packing some of her furniture. At night Walton, with the intention of stealing some of the valuables, climbed through a window and strangled Mrs. Grant in bed.

Walton has repeatedly declared he was anxious to be hanged as soon as possible and has made a great show of religious conversion.

MRS. NICHOLAS LONGWORTH RALLIES AFTER OPERATION

Physician Reports She Spent Restful Night.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13. — Surgeon-General Rixey, one of the attendant physicians on Mrs. Longworth, after visiting the patient this morning, stated that she had passed a good night and was in excellent condition, following the operation for appendicitis performed yesterday.

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.— H. R. Sorenson, proprietor of the Berkeley Bazaar on Center street suffered a paralytic stroke Sunday afternoon, at his home. He will be confined to his bed for some time.

OFFICERS SELECTED WITHOUT CONTESTS

ALAMEDA, Dec. 13.—There were no contests at the election of the Unitarian Club last night, and the officers for the coming year will be: President, Herbert D. Clark; vice-president, Elmer E. Cave; secretary and treasurer, B. C. Brown; directors, W. K. Scott, Dr. F. W. D'Evelyn, R. Latham, George C. Thompson, P. N. Berringer and H. Cramer. There was a good attendance.

Selling Out

at 20 to 30 per Cent Discount

$3.50 Ladies' Shoes - - - $2.50
$4.00 Men's Shoes - - - - $3.25
$2.50 Ladies' and Men's Shoes, $2.00
$2.00 Ladies' and Men's Shoes, $1.50
Boys' Shoes, sizes 2½ to 5, reduced to $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

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A FEW SPECIALS

Now Being Offered to Christmas Shoppers

$30.00 Disc Talking Machines and 12 10 in. Records only **$18.85**

Stradivarious Model Violins Bow and Case $10.00 now **$5.85**

Mandolins $6, now **$3.75**

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Concert Guitars $8.75, now **$4.90**

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A Complete Stock of Victor and Edison Talking Machines and Records

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Concerts Every Afternoon From 2 to 4 on Victor and Edison Talking Machines

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TO HIM

—What more appropriate present to him than suit of clothes. And if you are proud of him, you will give him a well-tailored suit.

A. MUTT

May pawn his clothes and cover his nakedness with a barrel, but the sensible man will go well clad there wintry days.

Marked Down Sale

Our suits have been marked down from $35.00 to actual cost price. You may have any suit on our tables—pick the cloth out yourself and have the suit properly tailored; perfect fit guaranteed, for the price you would have to pay for a ready-made suit, viz:

$23.50

FREE NOTE—Five Suits of the first 100 Suits sold will be given absolutely free to five persons holding lucky prize numbers. Deposits to be refunded after drawing.

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Give One of Our Attractive and Artistic Glove Orders

These orders are particularly attractive in appearance and are enclosed in tasteful, gold-embossed sachets, delicately perfumed. This, however, is their smallest virtue. They can be made out for any amount and are equivalent to coin for the purchase of Gloves, Umbrellas or Centemeri Belts from the largest and most satisfactory stock in Oakland.

Holiday Gloves

Probably you have not yet decided upon the details of your gift list. Months ago we began to think for you. During the lassier faire days of summer, away went our orders for novelty and staple gloves and umbrellas to the best makers of Europe and America.

Now they're here and we'll tell you just a few of them:

Ladies' single-clasp cape gloves, lined with fancy silk; pretty, stylish, new; grades at .... $1.50 and $2.00

Ladies' military gauntlets, the popular New York fad for street wear. Made of cape in both tan and white, with novelty trimming in appropriate colors. If you want something new and stylish, this is the glove.

Ladies' Vallier long real French Suede gloves, with new "Cleopatra" round pearl buttons at the wrist; the prettiest of gloves for dress or evening wear.

Ladies' cape walking gloves; single clasp; mannish style .. ...

Special at $1.00

Ladies' "Calnia," our special real French kid gloves in all the new and staple shades, ... $1.50 pair

Ladies' "Derby;" the great walking glove: the smartest of all 2-clasp pique gloves. We are sole agents for Oakland; $1.75 a pair

Gloves For Men

The best makes of the best kinds and qualities in grades from .... $1.00 to $2.00

Men's Auto Gauntlets—a variety, including every need .... $1.50 to $4.50

For the little ones of all ages: even the infants; we have complete lines at prices from .... $1.00 to $1.50

Umbrellas For Gifts

Our stock of Umbrellas is beyond doubt larger and more varied than that of all other stores in Oakland combined. We are sure to have just what you want.

Children's umbrellas from .... 50c to $3.00

Ladies' umbrellas from 50c to $25

Men's umbrellas from 50c to $25

Centemeri Kid Gloves

Dainty, stylish gloves of fine French kid, in black and white, ... $2.00

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MYSTERY CLOTHES DEATH; MAY BE CASE OF MURDER

MICHAEL SIMON

STRANCE PASSING OF MICHAEL SIMON

Police Investigate Case of Foreman Who Died From Pneumonia.

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—Mystery still enshrouds the death of Michael Simon, foreman of the Raspillar Brewery in West Berkeley, and member of California Aerie, No. 1423, in this city, who died yesterday at the Roosevelt Hospital as a result of injuries received over a week ago, culminating in a severe attack of pneumonia. On Friday morning of last week, Simon came from his room to the breakfast table at the home of Charles Fuchs on the corner of Ninth and Bristol, with the imprints of a heavy blow which had been received on the previous night, and on his clothes were stains of blood.

Simon seemed dazed and unable to give a clear explanation of what happened to him the night before, but stated that as he was entering the yard of the Fuchs home, some one struck him from behind, and he said that he lay unconscious for a long time in front yard before finally recovering strength sufficiently to enter the house.

Mrs. Fuchs says that Simon had been attending a singing class in West Berkeley with a number of friends, and departed for home about 11 o'clock, with John Kaulenberger and George Jacobson, employes of the Raspiller brewery. They left him at the corner, a few doors from his home. They assert that he was sober.

MURDER THEORY.

Simon became ill and a doctor was summoned. He pronounced it a case of pneumonia. Fuchs was not satisfied, and the next day Dr. J. J. Benton was called in attendance. Simon had two hemorrhages and was very weak and died yesterday. The body was taken to the undertaking parlors of Jameson & Niehous, and Dr. Benton performed an autopsy. He decided that death was directly due to pneumonia. This does not satisfy Deputy Coroner Jameson, however, and he will investigate the matter further before an inquest is held. He says that there were indirect causes of death which he will investigate.

The police are working on the case, but Chief Vollmer is inclined to discredit the murder theory.

Mrs. J. S. Bergenstidt, a sister of Simon, resides with her family at the corner of Jones and Seventh street in West Berkeley. With tears streaming down her face, she related last evening the little she knew of her brother's death and the circumstances leading up to it. "Michael has not been at our house much within the last year," she said. "For a year and a half he lived with me, and then he went to make his home with Mr. Fuchs. I was told by some friends of my brother that he held a mortgage of the Fuchs' home to the amount of several hundred dollars, but my brother never spoke much about his business affairs to me.

DID NOT KNOW.

"They never told me a thing about my brother's sickness and the first I knew of it was the article in THE TRIBUNE telling of the accident that had befallen him. I went immediately to the Fuchs' home to see my brother, but Mr. Fuchs met me at the door and stated that no one was allowed to see Michael, as he was a very sick man. I was only permitted to look at him from the outside of the door, where I could see him lying on the bed and could hear him muttering to himself.

"Later I went again with my brother George to see our brother and again Mr. Fuchs refused to let us see him. He was about to close the door in our faces, when my brother placed his foot in the doorway and forced his way into the room. Mr. Fuchs was very angry, but we went in and spent some little time at the bedside of Michael then. He was unconscious and did not recognize us, not even when we spoke to him in our native tongue, the language of Alsace-Lorraine. We tried then to get him moved, but the Fuchs said that it would be dangerous to remove him at that time. From that time I never saw my brother again and yesterday morning Mr. Fuchs came and told us that he was dead."

MAKES REPLY.

Charles S. Fuchs, when seen by a TRIBUNE reporter this morning, answered the statements of Mrs. J. S. Bergensteldt, the sister of Michael Simon.

"When Mrs. Bergensteldt says that Simon had a mortgage on my home she does not know what she is talking about. When I was about to build my house I endeavored to get a mortgage from the West Berkeley Bank but failed, so asked Simon what to do. He suggested that I go to the Bank of Germany, which I did, Simon having given me a letter to the president, he having some forty shares in the bank. The Bank of Germany now holds my mortgage.

"Yes, it is true that I would not let Mrs. Bergensteldt see my brother when she came to see him, for the doctor had ordered me not to let any one see him.

"Simon was not on speaking-terms with his sister for some two years, for just before he came to live with us she put him out, saying that he came home too late at night and he beat her children. However, family affairs are none of my business.

"After he took to his bed, during some of his conscious moment I asked him who hit him and he replied that he would tell me bye and bye. Simon always carried considerable money on his person, some times as much as a hundred dollars. So we are sure some one hit him; in fact he said so, but always was careful not to say much about it."

MAN BURNS TO DEATH

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floor of which was ablaze. Denouncing the police for failing to notify him earlier, Chief Croker sent his men into the house. They found the body of William Siebel in a closet, where he had taken refuge and been suffocated by smoke. Robert Dwyer and his wife were found unconscious in an upper hallway. He tried to save his wife and before becoming unconscious threw his coat over her face, thereby saving her life. Both will recover.

BIG FLEET READY

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the last general orders for the start of the cruise and its first stage to Trinidad. Economy of coal consumption is urged by Admiral Evans upon every ship's crew. One of the most valuable pieces of information, the transfer of ships to the Pacific is expected to develop has to do with the amount of fuel consumed. A ten-knot speed is to be maintained throughout the voyage and orders have been issued that only steam enough to carry that speed economically shall be kept in the boilers. Any change of distance or interval in the fleet formation, the orders direct, shall be corrected "slowly and economically."

A grand ball at the Chamberlain Hotel tonight is to be the last shore entertainment for the officers of the fleet.

"I WILL DEPOSE"

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missal several years ago when Harriman and George A. Peabody declared that Harriman had outlived his usefulness to the company.

Mr. Fish sets forth that there was perfect harmony in the company until the winter of 1904-05, when Harriman and Peabody sought the establishment of an executive committee to which discretionary powers were to be delegated. He declares in the affidavit that he incurred additional enmity when he refused to become a party to a report "whitewashing" the officials of the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

The assertion is also made that Harriman and Peabody broke faith with Fish in 1906, when the agreed that a man independent of any faction was to be elected to the directorate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William Grinnell. Harriman, he says, attempted to secure the election of Henry W. Deforest, an attorney of Mr. Harriman, who was also a director of the Southern Pacific, which is dominated by the Union Pacific.

CHRISTMAS EXCURSION RATES.

On December 21st, 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, Southern Pacific Company will sell low round-trip tickets to all points at one fare and one-third where the one-way rate will not exceed $10. Return limit January 2, 1908.

For further information see Southern Pacific Company, corner Thirteenth and Franklin streets, Oakland, or agents.

"My Cake Is Dough."
Did not use Sperry's Flour.

MARINE COLONEL HAZED, HE SAYS

Efforts Made to Have Reconsideration of Retirement of C. M. Perkins.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—A story in which a prominent officer of marines is shown as the alleged victim of a conspiracy was revealed yesterday by the visit of Senators Perkins and Flint and Representative Knowland to Secretary of the Navy Metcalf in an effort to have reconsideration of the retirement of Lieutenant Colonel C. M. Perkins, Marine Corps. Colonel Perkins, who is no connection of the Senator, is said to have been the victim of persecution resulting in his unwilling retirement.

Last summer it is said Mrs. Perkins received word at her home in Berkeley that her husband was considered mentally unstable, and that unless he voluntarily asked for retirement he would probably be ordered before a medical board and forced out of the service.

Mrs. Perkins acted promptly, wired for permission for him to ask for retirement, and he was given permission to do so. It is now claimed that Perkins was systematically hazed, that he was reprimanded for such things as ordering his men to take quinine, and that Colonel Gorgas, two other prominent physicians and many other persons have declared that he was mentally sound.

Senators Scott of West Virginia, Senator Daniel of Virginia, Representative Gaines of West Virginia have interested themselves in Colonel Perkins' case after studying the records, and a determined fight will be made to have the matter thoroughly investigated.

MRS. M'KEE RANKIN

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Mrs. McKee Rankin, once known to the stage as Kitty Blanchard, who is now ill and in need. The net earnings for the benefit were $7500.

The principal number on the program was the trial scene from "The Merchant of Venice," with Ermete Novelli, the famous Italian tragedian, as Shylock, and Viola Allen as Portia. Mr. Novelli read his lines in Italian, the others in the cast in English. Those taking part were Cecilia Loftus, John E. Kellard, Edwin Argen Forrest, Charles Lane and Frank Westerton. Others who took part in the program were Lew Fields, Rose Stahl, May Irwin, Mme. Nazimova, Elsie Janis and Victor Moore. The orchestra was led by Victor Herbert and George D. Cohan.

DEATH FOLLOWS FALL FROM HORSE

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Nicholas Dunn, a well-known breeder of horses, is dead at his home in Rye, N. Y., from injuries received at the recent horse show in Madison Square Garden. His death brings to public notice the fact that he was about to be married to Mrs. Dora Henderson of Milbank, Va., an accomplished horsewoman and well known in society. She was told of Mr. Dunn's serious illness, but arrived an hour after his death.

Mr. Dunn was a younger son of a wealthy family in Essex, England, and came to this country sixteen years ago. He lived for a time in St. Paul and other Western cities and then came to New York State, where he engaged in the breeding of horses, his father having been a famous horseman in England and master of the Derbyshire hunt. On November 18, while exercising his horse, Prince Chap, at the horse show, he received a fall from which a brain disease resulted, causing death.

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LURES GIRL

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spiration dropped from her face, and at length succeeded in getting rid of the gag. She told the man that she could hear voices and that someone was coming and seeming frightened, he fled through the brush towrds the Chutes.

The girl describes her assailant as tall, with dark hair, blue eyes and smooth shaven. Detectives Gorham and Percell have been detailed to run him down.

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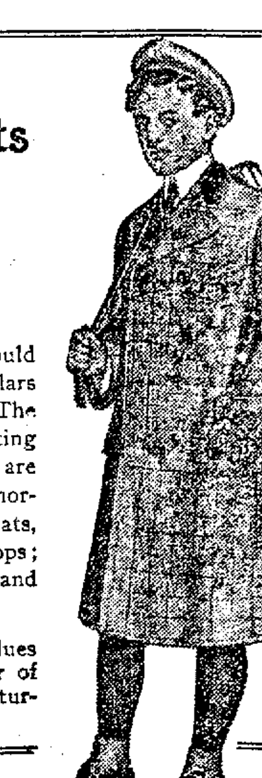

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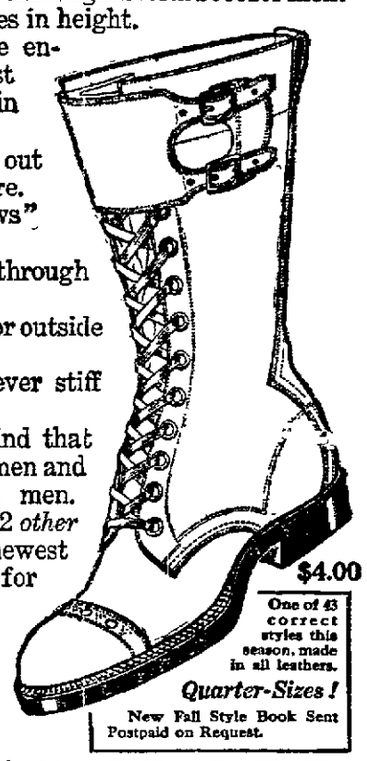

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PUBLIC RESPONDS.

The general public is responding more willingly at this time than for some time past Money is moving more readily and everything is just in the right condition for successful "vote getting" There is nothing that can be foreseen which should hinder any contestant from obtaining the most gratifying results Such a state of affairs is decidedly encouraging, and puts fresh zeal and energy into the work that is being conducted in the canvass for new subscriptions this "double offer" week

DON'T DELAY.

The question with many now seems to be how they will arrange to visit the many whom they have in view, and how put in the time to the best advantage. The only satisfactory answer to this question is to determine to start out at once, without any further delay, and to make every moment of your time while working count There should be a mark which you are striving to reach, and you should not rest until this is accomplished. If possible, go above it, but under no circumstances fall below.

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NAME FOR PARKS PUZZLES BOARD

Question as to Whether One Name for All Will be Sufficient Causes Discussion.

What name should be given to the park which the city of Oakland is building around the north shore of Lake Merritt?

Or, what names should be applied to the series of parks with which this city is surrounding the lake in question?

Or, should one name and one name only be given to all the parks in question?

These are subjects which the members of the board of public works have been discussing for some time and which they have decided in a very simple manner

It is the understanding that there will be only one name given and that that name will cover all the parks now in course of construction and those hereafter to be constructed in the lake region

This method has been decided upon on the ground that there is really to be but one park, that all the pleasure grounds and all the boulevards in that vicinity will be component parts of the lake park system and that all of them will be included under one designation

Mayor Mott in conversation with a reporter for THE TRIBUNE stated that the parks and boulevards would comprise a single system That would give the pleasure grounds in question greater importance an importance which would be in keeping with the magnitude of the undertaking and the liberal sum of money which was to be expended in the completion of the project

A multiplicity of names, he asserted would have a contrary effect The city could not afford to minimize the enterprise and liberality which it had shown in voting nearly one million dollars in bonds for the purchase and development of parks He wanted only one name but at the same time he wanted that name to be the best that could possibly be selected At this time, he said he had no idea as to what would be the name which would prove acceptable, neither did he know who would suggest it or how it would be chosen

FUNERAL OF MARTINEZ PIONEER TOMORROW

MARTINEZ, Dec 13—The funeral of the late Mrs W J Holpin will be held at the home in Ignacio valley Saturday, December 14 at 9 30 a m From there the cortege will proceed to the Alhambra Cemetery at Martinez, where additional services will be held Oakland and San Francisco friends of the decedent who wish to attend the burial at Martinez will be able to arrive there in ample time by taking the 9 30 a m train.

Appendicitis.

How To Avoid It and Escape a Surgical Operation, Told By One Who Knows.

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The older doctors used to call this inflammation of the bowels, and were puzzled to know the cause

Even now, with all the knowledge we have of the disease, no medical man can tell you why we should have an appendix, why we find it where it is, or what are its functions, if it has any

The disease for which the operation is a cure is usually caused by indigestion, and in many cases follows a large and indigestible meal.

Physicians have until recently recommended an operation, but now, as it is known that it is caused by indigestion, or dyspepsia, a cure without an operation is assured

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There is no record of a case of appendicitis where the stomach and bowels were in a healthy condition and properly digested the food from meal to meal

No better advice can be given to any one who has attacks of indigestion, or who has been threatened with appendicitis, than to tell him to go to the drug store, pay 50 cents, and take home a package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Whenever heartburn, gas in stomach or bowels, heart disease or stomach troubles, sour eructions, acidity or fermentation are present, act at once Take a dose of the Tablets and get relief as soon as possible.

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RICHMOND ASKED FOR FRANCHISE

Right to Operate Street Railway in Contra Costa City Applied For.

RICHMOND Dec 13—At the regular meeting of the Board of Town Trustees held in the City Hall the ordinance in relation to the application of John Nicholl for a street railroad franchise was read The proposed ordinance provides that the franchise be granted to Nicholl

A large number of applications for the establishment of additional street lights and fire hydrants were acted upon by the board

I E Marshal, superintendent of streets filed his report for the month of November and stated he had accepted the sewer under contract 5 He also recommended that culverts be placed at several street crossings in the city He was instructed to put in the culverts at the points named in his report

The superintendent of streets was ordered to procure from the Richmond Steel and Iron Works an iron frame for the curved curbing at intersection of Washington and Railroad avenues

It was ordered that J H Gregory be instructed to detail one of his police officers to assist with the clerical work in the office of the superintendent of streets, do it himself, or hand in his resignation as assistant superintendent of streets

Trustee Follett recommended that a fire hydrant be placed at the intersection of Third street and Ripley avenue, as asked for by the property holders in that vicinity

Ordinance No 103 was read and adopted

A petition signed by Judge Kennon and others, asking for an arc light at the intersection of Seventh street and Lincoln avenue was read and on motion the petition was referred to the light committee

George C Henley and others presented a petition asking for arc lights and fire hydrants at the intersection of Tenth, Twelfth and Fourteenth streets and Barrett avenue The petition was referred to the light and fire committees for their favorable recommendations

Contractor H B Kinney addressed a communication to the board asking for an extension of thirty days for the completion of his sewer contract under resolution of intention No 7 The request was granted

L B Lane, sanitary inspector, filed his monthly report and the same was accepted by the board

Resolution read and adopted granting Henley-Tyler Lumber Company the right to construct a spur track to their yard from the main line of the Southern Pacific

In the matter of fire hydrants in Nystrom's addition Trustee Nystrom recommended that fire hydrants be placed at alleys on Florida between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, on Main, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets and on Washington street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth It was ordered that hydrants be placed at the points designated in Trustee Nystrom's report

In the matter of the pipe line license executed by the Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Company party of the first part, and the City of Richmond party of the second part, the same was referred to the city attorney

The draft of the by-laws of Richmond Volunteer Fire Company No 3 was presented to the board and read It was ordered that Richmond Volunteer Fire Company No 3 be recognized by the board and placed on the same footing as Companies 1 and 2 with regular monthly allowance commencing December 1

Certificates of erroneous or double assessments from 1 to 17, inclusive, and orders for cancellation of the same, were read It was ordered that the said assessments be cancelled This covers the assessment for the years 1906-7

Bills against the city were audited and allowed

WICKEDNESS THRIVES IN LARGEST CITIES

To the Editor of THE TRIBUNE The Rev Baker urges consolidation of Oakland and San Francisco on moral grounds but that is about the poorest argument he could advance The larger the city the more wickedness, as, for instance London New York, Paris Chicago Philadelphia These cities are all very bad morally New Orleans is one of the largest cities in the United States in area, and is also most probably the worst morally The larger the city the more chance for graft immorality and all other vices

The few San Francisco business men who live in Oakland can move back to San Francisco if they are so anxious to cast their vote there or better still why not move their business to Oakland, the coming metropolis of the Pacific coast?

Yours truly,
A CITY AND COUNTY OAKLANDER.

SANTA ROSA YOUNG MAN DIES IN SOUTH

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 13—Stewart McDonald, the youngest son of Colonel and Mrs Mark L McDonald of this city died at Los Angeles yesterday He was a prominent young man of this city, and recently went to the southern city for the benefit of his health. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Florence McDonald who is a trained nurse, and she gave him devoted attention.

Stewart McDonald was a native of New York, aged 32 years, and was a nephew of the late Captain Joseph McDonald, the well-known capitalist of San Francisco Surviving him, beside the parents are a brother, Mark L McDonald Jr, and three sisters, Miss Florence McDonald, Mrs William H. Hamilton of San Francisco and Mrs. Selah Chamberlain.

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OCEAN PARK INDICTED MEN ARE ALLOWED BAIL

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—Sixteen men indicted by the grand jury for alleged illegal registration for the Ocean Park disincorporation election have been arrested and released on bail Five other men indicted at the same time are still at liberty Ten of the defendants were before Judge Conroy of the Superior Court yesterday, and six were taken before Judge Selph. All were released on bail in the sum of $2000 each Formal arraignment has been deferred.

The fight at Ocean Park has been over the liquor question The town was 'wet' and opponents of the liquor traffic sought to have the town disincorporated so that they might drop out of the municipality class and do away with saloons The presumption before the grand jury was that the men were illegally registered for the purpose of fighting disincorporation Nearly all the men indicted are said to be allied with the liquor business in Los Angeles

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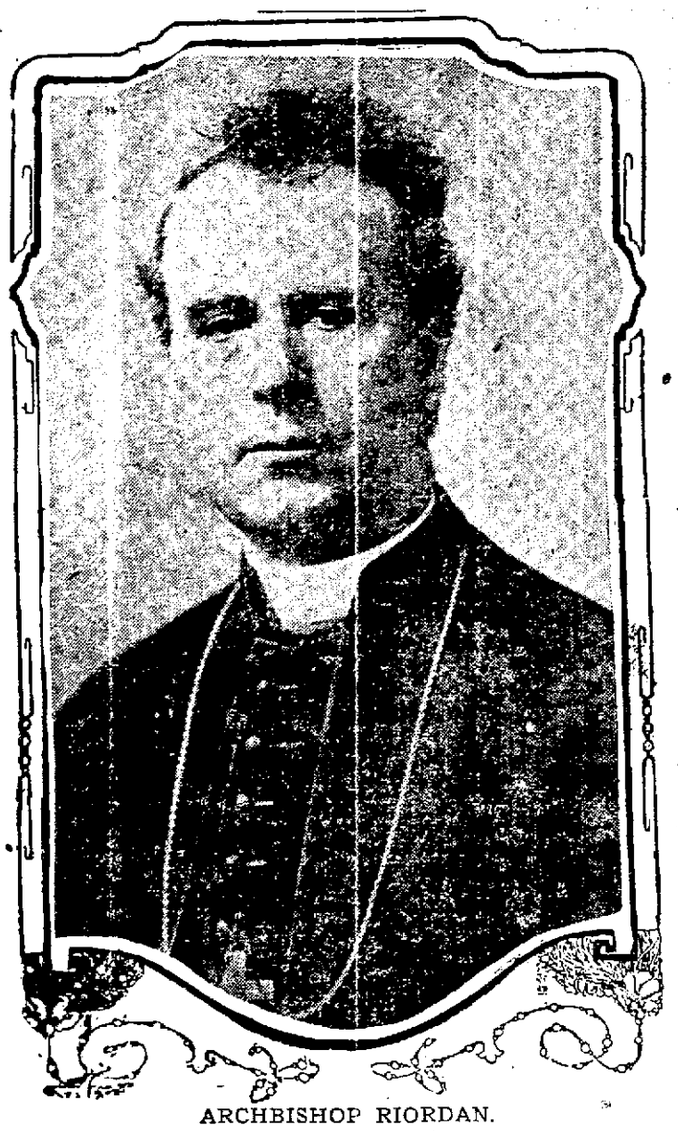

ARCHBISHOP RIORDAN.

Pontiff Hears Report From Prelate on the Catholic Situation in United States.

ROME, Dec. 13.—The Pope today received Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco in private audience in his library, and the Catholic situation in the United States in general and the diocese of San Francisco in particular was discussed at length. The archbishop made a satisfactory report regarding the clergy and religious institutions in California. The matter of appointing the Rev. Edward Hanna of Rochester, New York, coadjutor archbishop of San Francisco also was discussed.

CHARTERS STEAMER TO CARRY SUGAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The Journal of Commerce announces that the American Sugar Refining Company has just chartered nine steamers to bring raw sugar from New Orleans direct to the refiners in New York. These nine steamers will carry among them 40,000 tons of sugar. It is stated that during the recent financial flurry a large quantity of raw sugar was purchased in the South at a very low figure, said to be 25 cents below the present market price. It is to move the sugar thus purchased that the charters have been made.

Merchandise Orders

The man who originated glove orders now lives in San Francisco. He was and is a very wise man. He knew what he was doing. Now we call those orders merchandise orders because the word merchandise has a broad covering sense and includes the kind of goods we sell.

Just let us point out a few of the plain advantages of buying and giving merchandise orders as Christmas gifts.

You save yourself lots of bother in shopping

You select a red necktie for your friend. He accepts the gift before your face with profuse thanks and apparent gratification and after you part he says, "Good lord, why did she give me a red tie when I can't bear red at all? Where did this come from? Why, I will go back and exchange it," and then we make the sale all over again. Buy merchandise orders from

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BIG ROW CAUSED BY PRIMA DONNA

Tetrazzine Brings to Head Row Between Conreid and Directors.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—It is stated that there is friction between the directors of the Metropolitan Opera House and Heinrich Conreid, the director, which will probably lead to the directors' resignation at the end of the present season. None of the directors will discuss the matter, but it is said that there has been much dissatisfaction with Mr. Conreid's management of the opera house and particularly with the fact that a number of very prominent singers who were in the market for American engagements were engaged by Mr. Hammerstein for the Manhattan. The later difficulty between the rival opera managers was over the engagement of Mme. Tetrazzini, who was secured by Mr. Hammerstein.

BETTER CAR SERVICE IS ASKED ON EAST 16TH ST.

Attorney Engs Says Company Will Give Up Franchise.

Residents along East Sixteenth street, between Third and Twelfth avenues, appeared before the street railways committee of the City Council last night and asked that the Council request the Oakland Traction Consolidated to improve its service on East Sixteenth street.

Attorney Edward Engs, of the Traction Consolidated, stated that the company is desirous of abandoning the line and that he will file a petition to this effect with the Council next Monday night.

The residents present declared that they would oppose this action, as they desire to have first-class service on the line. J. A. Bohn and H. J. Rogers spoke in regard to the car service and said that in their opinion it is very poor. They stated that the company is not complying with the provisions of its franchise.

The matter was finally referred to the City Attorney, who will be asked to render an opinion as to whether or not the company can abandon its franchise.

MRS. ETHEL SUTTON SAYS HER HUSBAND WAS CRUEL

Architect's Wife to Ask Expense Money From New York.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Ethel Sutton, defendant in a suit for divorce which her husband, Albert M. Sutton, an architect, brought on the ground of desertion, yesterday filed notice that she would ask, through her attorney, Walter H. Robinson, for $250 a month alimony, $2500 counsel fees, $500 costs and $150 to pay the expenses of her trip from New York to San Francisco.

Mrs. Sutton states that she is dependent upon friends in New York, but wants to reach San Francisco so that she may defend the suit and file a cross complaint against her husband, charging him with cruelty and misconduct. Their community property, according to the wife, is worth more than $100,000, and she says that Sutton is earning an income of over $1000 a month.

TO SPEND $5000 TO BEAUTIFY BUSHROD PARK

Councilman Stachler Asks City to Buy More Public Ground.

A resolution introduced by Councilman Eugene Stachler reciting that it was to the best interests of the city that a parcel of land bounded on the north by Thirty-second street, on the east by Union street, on the west by Peralta street, and on the south by Thirtieth street be purchased for park purposes, was referred to the Board of Public Works for a report at a meeting last night of the council committee on parks and boulevards.

Councilman Stachler holds that public interest, convenience and necessity demand the acquisition of that property, to be turned into a public park.

On Monday night Councilman Burns will introduce an ordinance for the appropriation of $5000 for the improvement of Bushrod Park on Shattuck avenue. This park was purchased at an expense of $10,000.

CONVICTION ON HOLIDAY IS HELD TO BE VALID

Napa Judge Renders Decision Permitting Courts to Act.

NAPA, Dec. 13.—In the Superior Court here Judge Gesford has rendered a decision, by which he holds that trials and sentences in criminal cases in justice courts on legal holidays are valid and in accord with the constitutional provisions.

The decision came on the application of William Sutherland for release on habeas corpus on the ground that he had been tried and sentenced on November 5, a legal holiday. The Supreme Court has not rendered a decision on the point involved in the Napa county case, and the new decision is attracting great attention in Northern California counties.

PRICE OF BEER IN NEW YORK GOES UP

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—After January 1 beer will cost $1 a barrel more in New York than it does now. This announcement has been made by the lager beer brewers' board of trade. A like increase has been made by New Jersey brewers. The reason for the increase is given as the higher price of raw material. Malt, brewers say, has increased in price from 62 cents to $1.25 and half barrels from $2.70 to $3.65. Everything else, the brewers say, has increased in proportion. It is estimated that 10,000,000 barrels of beer are consumed yearly in New York.

QUITS PULLMAN CO. AFTER LONG SERVICE

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—After thirty-six consecutive years with the Pullman Company, George F. Brown, 64 years old, treasurer of that corporation and recently its general manager, has retired from active life.

Mr. Brown entered the employ of the Pullman Company in 1871. He has been retired on a pension and K. Demmler has been elected treasurer in his place.

KILL 137 RATTLERS FOUND IN GROUND

SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 13.—Peter Vagulla and Joe Lewis, who were working Thursday on a ridge between Boulder Creek and the San Lorenzo river, clearing land for grape planting, struck their axes in the soft, sandy soil and broke into a small cavern filled with rattlesnakes. Grabbing their axes, they killed all in sight, and then taking a stand over the hole as the snakes crawled out, they speedily dispatched 137 rattlers.

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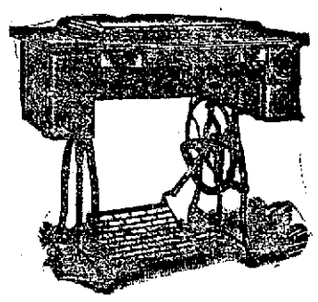
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No. 1.	Special Sale of Pictures	No. 7.	Special Sale of Books
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COME COME COME COME COME

Ketchel Batters Thomas Down in a Fierce Contest

MINER'S PUNCHES PROVE TOO MUCH FOR NATIVE LAD

Sturdy Montanan Proves Conclusively That He Is Too Rugged for San Francisco Mitt Wielder.

Tho' I've belted you an' flayed you,
By the livin' Gawd that made you,
You're a better man than I am, Gunga Din!

—RUDYARD KIPLING.

When the peerless Kipling wrote the above lines he little intended that they should ever be used as the introduction for a boxing contest, but the lines, with the slight change of introducing Stanley Ketchel's name, so closely fits the situation that Joe Thomas finds himself in, that the writer has taken the liberty to use them

Joe Thomas and Stanley Ketchel have now met for the third time, and although in each contest Thomas has handed the Montana fighter a terrific beating and at times appeared to have the contests in hand, he is, with the defeat of last night, compelled to admit that Ketchel is his master and a better man at the game of hit and take care of yourself Referee Sam Berger gave Ketchel the decision after twenty fierce rounds of fighting

The battle of last night will remain fresh in the memory of the people who witnessed it for many days, for if ever a fighter tried hard to turn defeat into victory, in the face of a terrific beating, that man was Joe Thomas, and his gameness and fighting spirit will go down in the history of pugilism to be talked of by the fans in years to come

FAST CONTEST.

Without the least fear of contradiction the writer ventures the opinion that the contest of last night was as hard a fought, if not the hardest fought one, that has ever taken place between middleweights in California In fact, it would be impossible for human flesh to have endured a faster pace or harder fighting than the contestants of last night did

Ketchel with his wonderful strength and ruggedness was at all times ready and willing to exchange punches and at no time can it be said that Thomas dodged the issue Fact is it would have been far better for him had he not been so game and willing to exchange punches with the ex miner at the give and take style of milling

Thomas in the very first round was brought to the canvas with a stinging left smash to the jaw but it took none of the fight out of him and he was at the Montana fighter hammer and tongs as the bell for the end of the first round rang Ketchel in this round landed the left just as he had landed the sleep producers in the preceding contests and it was only by the merest chance that Ketchel missed ending the contest right then and there for as in their first contest the punch just lacked the fraction of an inch of landing solidly

THOMAS BROUGHT DOWN

Ketchel led with his right hand for the body which caused Thomas to throw his guard down to block the lead and quick as a flash he brought his left to play on the jaw of the Californian but as already described he fell a little short of landing fairly From that time on Thomas was more careful about dropping his guard and Ketchell had a hard time to reach him with his knock out swings Thomas then came back and for a time he outpointed the strong and aggressive Montana fighter The hopes of his friends and backers then ran high and it looked as if Thomas had struck his gait and that he had an excellent chance to win the decision on points

Ketchel with the good judgment that he has shown in his previous fights with Thomas, immediately started to make a way for his crashing swings and with a view of forcing the guard of the Californian down he devoted several rounds to peppering Thomas on his side just above the kidneys and with each punch a great red blotch on his side grew bigger and redder

This method soon had its effect and Thomas was forced to drop his left to protect the sore spot As soon as Ketchel had succeeded in forcing the guard down he began to play for the jaw with his right and left swings and the high hopes of his friends vanished

KETCHEL HEADY BOXER

The story of his winning is best told by saying that he systematically beat Thomas about the body gradually weakening him until he had forced the guard down to make way for his punches to the head and each time that Thomas would shift the guard back to the head Ketchel would start for the body with the same effect regarding the guard Ketchel doing this under a fire of straight lefts and left hooks that would have stopped a less game fighter but Ketchel seemed perfectly willing to take a punch or two with the left to land one with his right or to make way for a full swing with his left.

Ketchel was not the only one of the contestants to show great headwork in the contest however for the work of Thomas when he was hurt and when the average fighter would have gone to the floor in avoiding the fierce onslaughts of the Montana fighter was really wonderful and the many close escapes from knockouts he had during the contest helped to thrill the crowd and hold them spellbound as he reeled around the ring in an almost helpless condition yet avoiding the fast and well-directed swings of his stronger opponent.

THOMAS WAS SLOW

Thomas lacked the dash however and overlooked many openings through his apparently slow working mentality A fighter to be quick to take advantage of openings of an opponent should work intuition and his hand should travel much faster than he can think Thomas seemed to work with too much method, in other words he was too methodical in his movements

"Ketchel has Thomas buffaloed" was an expression heard from many prior to the contest and many no doubt, bet their money that way but in the face of the extreme confidence with which Thomas entered the ring and the tenacity with which he hung on and battled for victory, seems to dispel that idea and it is the opinion of the writer that Joe Thomas was very confident that he would win the contest even up to the tenth round or so when the body punches began to tell on him

This body fighting is the thing that weakened the Californian and is the thing that made it impossible for him to come back with speed and snap when the Montana fighter would be apparently tired from his own exertions In the clinches Ketchel continually beat Joe about the body, and try as he would, he seemed absolutely unable to avoid the left hand rips that Ketchel shot to his midsection

MEN ENTER RING

Thomas was the first to enter the ring and was followed by the faithful Harry Foley Teddy Wolf and H Bushard who have been his friends for years Ketchel next entered the ring followed by Joe Le Roy Mike McClure and Fred Cooley Billy Jordan introduced the men read off challenges from Peter Jackson Sam Langford Pete Sullivan Jimmy Gardner and Kid Farmer and the contest was on

Both men fiddled about for an opening and it was noticed that Ketchel was a trifle over confident and a bit too anxious to finish the thing up right then and there while Thomas boxed with great coolness being satisfied with sizing his opponent up

Ketchel missed with many wild swings and Thomas was ducking nice and landing his short arm right and left jolts to the face with regularity when Ketchel opened up with a smash at the body with his right which drew Thomas guard down and with the quickness of a flash he came back with a left to the jaw and down went the Californian

Thomas was not dazed to any extent however and when the bell rang for the end of the round it found Thomas fighting hard and trying to land a solid punch on the very confident Ketchel

KETCHEL WAS STRONGEST

From the very first round Ketchel kept boring in for the body and in the clinches he had all the better of the going he being apparently much the stronger of the two men and boxing in a much better position for close in fighting than Thomas

During the first four rounds of the battle Ketchel was at Thomas as if his life depended upon putting him out inside of ten rounds and several times he landed with force enough to shake the Californian from head to foot but Thomas was not to be done away with so easy and each time he used great judgment in avoiding another punch when he was hurt and every round found him better than the preceding one until the fifth had been reached when Thomas went after the Montana fighter and had the better of the round

Both men by this time were bleeding and their faces showed the marks of the fast pace that they were setting Ketchel during this time had shown that he was perfectly willing to take a punch to land one and it had also been shown that Thomas was very slow to take advantage of openings especially so when Ketchel missed with his swings and went off his balance

THOMAS BEST ROUND

Thomas opened the fifth with a crushing right to the head that sent Ketchel back but the Montana fighter was right after Thomas with his left hand for the body He missed one however and Thomas again landed a stinging left hander to the jaw that hurt Ketchel Thomas again landed a right to the jaw as Ketchel was coming in with a left to the body and followed with a try with his right and left for a knockout but both punches missed fire At the end of the round Thomas landed another to the head and had the better of the round He fought all through the round for the head while Ketchel had fought for the body

The sixth round was even Thomas having the better of the first half and Ketchel the better of the last half when he forced Thomas to take to his heels to avoid the punishing punches he was shooting to the head and body In this round it was noticed that when Thomas landed on the body it had a great deal more effect than the punches for the head and his seconds advised him to fight for the body

The seventh was a bad round for Thomas and Ketchel beat him all around the ring It was then that Thomas showed his cleverness with the blocking system and before the round was over he had Ketchel somewhat tired from trying to land a solid punch on him

The end of the round found Thomas in a very bad way but boxing well and his seconds called for the smelling salts for the first time and looked a bit anxious as to their charge's condition

THOMAS SHOWS WELL

The eighth and ninth rounds were all in favor of Thomas and it was then that his friends and their hopes raised by the belief that Ketchel had shot his bolt and that Joe would be able from then on to out point him Ketchel had discovered that he was unable to land on Thomas jaw with the Californian fighting with his left arm and shoulder protecting that vital spot, and during these two rounds, with the exception of leading with light lefts to the head to detract from the body Ketchel worked entirely on the kidneys with his right At times Ketchel missed badly and looked tired but the red spot was growing larger and the guard of the clever Thomas was gradually lowering

The eleventh round found Ketchel coming with a rush for he had succeeded in landing so often and with such force that he forced Thomas to lower the left arm to protect his kidneys Not content, he kept at the sore spot most of the round, and during all this time Thomas was outpointing him with his short left punches for the head Near the end of the round Ketchel shifted a few of his right smashes to the head and Thomas tried to hold at his every opportunity.

In the twelfth Ketchel came very fast and seemed stronger He fought for the body at all times and Thomas fought for the head and but for the gradual weakening of the Californian the round was fairly evenly contested

At the opening of the thirteenth it began to rain and Ketchel started after Thomas as if he wanted to finish the contest before the rain leaked through the big canvas He pounded Joe all over the ring but owing to the wonderful coolness of the ex champion he was unable to bring him down The end of the round found Thomas very weak and Ketchel very tired The next two rounds Thomas again made a spurt but it was the spurt of a very weak and tired man with wonderful gameness Ketchel at all times seemed to have the upper hand and the better of the going although in the fifteenth Thomas landed a right hook to the jaw and but for the fact that the men had locked arms Ketchel would have fallen to the floor

THOMAS GOES DOWN

The knock down, if it could be called that seemed to stimulate Ketchel however for in the next round he went after Thomas like a tiger, and with a succession of punches to the head and body he forced the game fighter to the floor for the count Thomas got up at the count of eight but his legs were weak and his head dizzy The gong rang none too soon to save him

In the following rounds Thomas although a beaten man and in a condition that would have justified him in running away gamely held his ground and fought with wonderful tenacity His friends and seconds cheered him on in hope that he might get a draw, but it was useless and he was compelled to take a terrible beating Game to the last, Thomas would not go down however, and the last round found him gamely trying to turn the defeat to at least a draw decision

The end came with Ketchel and Thomas fighting harder than they had in the opening rounds and Thomas although weak, was doing his share of the work but it was too late and the decision as rendered by Sam Berger was the only fair one to give.

The dampness of the arena somewhat cooled the enthusiasm of the crowd, but there was not a man who left the big tent last night that did not express sincere sympathy for the game fighter, Joe Thomas. Ketchel put up his usual fast and snappy contest, and with any fighter of his weight he will be hard to beat.

After the fight Ketchel claimed that he injured his left hand badly in the first round This was hardly possible as he used this member in a manner in the early rounds which displayed not the slightest trace of weakness or injury He may have hurt his left arm later in the fight, as he used it sparingly.

STANLEY KETCHEL, WHO FLAYED JOE THOMAS AT RECREATION PARK IN SAN FRANCISCO LAST NIGHT.

Dates for Dual Meet Are Fixed

STANFORD UNIVERSITY Dec 13—Dates have been assigned for the dual track meet between the Universities of Stanford and Southern California There are to be two meets one on the local campus and the other at Los Angeles The first will be held at Los Angeles March 7 and the last at Stanford two weeks later

Fenton to Assist Stanford's Coach

STANFORD Dec 13—Fenton the crack football and baseball player of Stanford was apointed assistant to Coach Presley at Stanford yesterday Presley is to act as head coach of the football and baseball squads and is to receive a yearly salary of $1500 Fenton is to receive $1000 a year as assistant Fenton announced yesterday that he would accept the offer

Handball Players Are in Training

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 13—The hand ball players of the Olympic Club are in training for the handball tournament which will take place on the courts on Eddy street beginning January 5 The men in the championship class will use the hard ball while the less expert players will use the regulation soft ball

The championship class includes such well known players as Al Hampton George James James White Joe Condon Luis Levy and Mrs A Maguire Among the men who have entered in the other classes are James W Foley B A Ivancovich T I Fitzpatrick R T Lyons J J Condon Louis Ferrari Al Bullion F C Wegener J C Settle Charles Yada Jack Cunningham M A Maguire and F E Atkins

SPECTATORS AT FIGHT FRIGHTENED BY GALE

Wind Plays Havoc With the Nerves of the Fight Fans at Recreation Ball Grounds.

BY T. P MAGILLIGAN

'We fool the sun and rain'

That was the broad legend printed in blatant vermillion lettering on a large sign which hung directly over the ring and under the huge tent at Recreation Baseball Park in San Francisco which was the scene of the Ketchel Thomas battle last night

That sign would have been more comforting if it had anything in about fooling the wind but the printer forgot to tell the public about fooling the wind and wanting this encouragement the strongest minded in the crowd felt showers of cold shivers chasing each other up and down his spinal column and playing tag with his nerves

The tent was a beauty but hardly a joy forever In fact when the wind started to do some inflating with the huge canvas the crowd got somewhat affrighted and went to the stimulants to woo back fleeting courage In a mental lapse Cockey O Brien forgot his loyalty to the succulent frankfurter and asked some gentleman to open a can of pate de foi gras to strengthen his courage The pate de foi gras not being forthcoming the delicate Mr O Brien beat a hasty retreat from underneath the canvas and saw the battles from a seat in the bleachers

During the preliminaries the tent and the wind hooked up and it was a royal battle that waged between them When the huge canvas began to flap and rip to the soughing winds spectators took on a bad case of nerves and many of them left high priced seats for a safer perch in the galleries

Captain James Ferry financier and bon vivant of Fillmore drew a seat next to the main totem pole When the block and tackle received a jolt in the plexus from the wind and was knocked from its moorings Captain James broke his ulna retreating to a place of safety

Very few in the crowd could tell who won the preliminaries Those foregathered under the canvas were too interested in watching the little game of tag between the soughing winds and the forlorn tent to pay any particular attention to such trivial things as preliminaries

Gentlemen who were fortunate enough to carry life insurance and accident policies showed a degree of gameness that was the envy of ordinary mortal who in these piping times of low finances find stress to produce the wherewithal to sooth the inner man

To add to the comfort of the spectators the electric wires had a neat little way of creaking and sizzling adding their mite to the pleasure of the fans

Kid North who occupied a press seat got excited when one stiff gale landed on the point of the tent's chin and swallowed a two karat diamond that he wore as a necklace

While the crowd was silently awaiting the tent to fall between the preliminaries Billy Jordan advised those in the crowd who didn't have any cash deposits in fluttering banks to please remove themselves to the gallery and look pleasant He also advised those who were tender hearted to deposit their farewell messages in the ring with the assurance that they would be delivered to the fond ones if the worst happened

Before the big fight was put on the commander in chief of the booze brigade ordered flasks drawn and for the rest of the show the soldiers of fate under the tent rested on their flasks Sentries in the gallery sent forth encouraging reports of the resistless valor of the guy ropes against the wind's attacks This helped some but not much Most of those present wished they had dallied at their clubs Several ladies were on hand to lend an air of respectability to the affair but they were shocked beyond measure at the ill behavior of the tent

Fortunately the wind subsided somewhat when the main event was put on and Courier Cockey O Brien returned with a message from Mars advising the crowd that the wind had called off its attack and for those present to make themselves comfy Cockey explained that Mars was the name of the saloon on Mission streets and everyone was satisfied The tent was game and stayed the limit but it was rather groggy at the finish and when it was all over the crowd beat the world's record for retreating with the honors of war upon them

After the main battle the yeomen retired to contemplate the virtues of peace and many a literary gentleman who sat in the press stand recalled the lines

Lovely art thou O Peace and lovely are thy children and lovely are the prints of thy footsteps in the green valleys

The real literatti like Budd Fisher repeated to themselves

The rain is over—how dense and bright
You pearly clouds reposing lie
Cloud above cloud a glorious sight
Contrasting with the ominous sky

Those who didn't have any literary tastes adjourned to a nearby oasis to seek solace in the six best sellers in bottles

While the big fight was in progress the gentle rain began pattering on the distressed canvas which lent considerable charm to the excitement The snap shot photographers also earned the fervent (for the sake of the ladies we won't say what) by igniting high explosives in order to get photos

Those who went through the big wind in Ireland declared that it was only a zephyr compared to the frolicsome gale that played with the tent

Tommy McCarthy and Alex McDonald furnished the curtain raiser We don't know how this fight raged as the wind had our pencil buffaloed in such a manner that the graphite refused to make notes but we were informed by reliable authorities that McCarthy won by a mile

Willie Johnson and Billy Purtell preceded the main event but people were too busy listening to the little song of the winds to heed the settlement of their differences We also learn from good authority that Johnson lost this fight on a foul

During the preliminaries Stuart Gimmell, of Oakland thought he saw a river of ducks floating over the ring and Billy Roche ventured the opinion that Sam Berger wore a beautiful red eye lash

The show last night proved that tents may be all right in their way but that their presence as a protection for fight fans is hardly comforting or agreeable

Football Teams Clash Tomorrow

The football elevens of the Berkeley and Woodland High schools will clash on California field at 2 30 tomorrow afternoon for the championship of the Academic League

All doubt of the contest taking place was dispelled yesterday when President Alfred Skaife announced that California field had been secured

Berkeley won the right to play Woodland by defeating the Lick High school last Saturday

The players of the Berkeley High school team and the rooters are confident that Berkeley will be returned victors Berkeley's playing all this season has been sensational their only set back being at the hands of the Seattle High school at Seattle

Nome Team to Play Berkeley

BERKELEY Dec 13—The Arctic Brotherhood a basketball team of Nome Alaska will play the team of the Young Men's Christian Association here on December 23

The men from the far North are good players and it is expected that they will give the Berkeleyites a good game when the teams hook up

Johnson Matched With Faker Jack

MINNEAPOLIS Dec 13—'Il Arthur Johnson closed negotiations last night for a fight with Philadelphia Jack O Brien The pair are to meet for six rounds at Philadelphia within three weeks The exact date has not as yet been fixed Johnson is to receive $5000 as his share of the purse

Johnson declares that he is unable to say what the outcome of so brief an encounter will be but gives O Brien credit for being a rather useful millman over the short distance of ground

George Gardner To Fight Again

George Gardner at one time one of the best fighters in America will leave tonight for San Diego where he is to hook up with Terry Mustaine on the night of December 23

The Irishman trained recently with Jack (Twin) Sullivan while the latter was preparing for his fight with Al Kaufman and says he is in pretty fine fettle for the battle

Gardner declared last night that he would get in good shape for this contest and thinks he will be returned an easy victor

George expects to get back in the game good and strong in the near future and has laid out a plan for training that should put him in good shape He expects to meet the winner of the Squires-Flynn fight which is scheduled in Bakersfield, December 21, in the near future

While Gardner has lost some of his punching power, he is still a good boxer, and knows the game so well that he should prove an attractive card for any of the six-round clubs George feels that he will come back to life through his coming battle with Mustaine, and he declares that if he beats him decisively he will go after all of the big fellows.

Stanford Cutting Expense Bills

STANFORD, Dec 13—The executive committee decided last night to take measures to curtail all the football expenses of the varsity team and in future all the rugby players will have to 'pony up half the price of their suits Every man who requires the care of a physician will have to produce a certificate from Dad Moulton in future He will also have to show that the injury or sickness was the result of athletic training This latter measure is designed to curtail the excessive bills sent by the resident physician to the university

HORACE EGBERT FORCED TO RETIRE FROM DUTIES

Handicapper of the California Jockey Club Has Serious Attack of Kidney Trouble.

Broken in health and with the duties of his office overburdening him Horace Egbert official handicapper of the New California Jockey Club has decided to lay down the taxing load and seek health in a more congenial climate

HORCE EGBERT, WHOSE ILL HEALTH FORCES HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CALIFORNIA JOCKEY CLUB

Mr Egbert's health has been very delicate for sometime but with a leonine courage he has stuck to his post until his condition is such at present that further holding out against nature would be impossible

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Nothing in the way of features graced yesterday's racing program at Williams Park but an interesting card was reeled off and the good crowd in attendance enjoyed an afternoon of racing good sport The track was still very muddy but the horses ran a little more to form and form players quit the day a bit to the good

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Miller hustled Wap to the front in the last quarter and at the end won the opening race going away Alice F did her best and staled off the last coming St Avon for the place Moore Johnson the favorite was very short and blew up after showing some early speed

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One of the most pitiful accidents witnessed in many a day occurred during the running of the second race when Crip the choice stumbled in the stretch when he had the race practically at his mercy and broke his leg The poor helpless animal hobbled for a step or two in an endeavor to reach the goal for which he was making then fell in a heap Upon examination the track surgeon discovered that he was hopelessly crippled and had him shot After the accident Duke of Orleans which was Crip's closest pursuant came on and at the pleasing odds of 10 to 1 won easily Cholk Hedrick was probably best and under a weak ride reached the wire in time to beat Wibber for the place

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Lazell under the most vigorous ride just got up to beat out Croix d'Or by a small margin at the wire The latter look to have the race won a furlong out but Gilligan grew overconfident and was caught napping on the best horse Harmakis showed improvement over last race and will be a hard horse to beat from now on in this company Nine Spot the choice faded away to nothing when the pinch came

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Prince Brutus was right on edge found the track just to his liking and taking the lead from the start lead his field a merry chase all the way and simply breezed home Boomin ran a smart race for his first out and was second all the way Kogo in [illegible] held third position [illegible] from the others

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Meada got clear of interference on entering the stretch and with her usual tremendous final rush passed her field and won easily Sullivan on Ferp was caught napping and lost the place to Sea Air The latter was probably best but met with all kinds of bad luck

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Burleigh the top heavy choice in the sixth was away on his toes and just [illegible] all the way College Willow closed gamely and beat out the fast tiring St Francis for place money

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The card today is made up with horses of inferior class no doubt the result of track conditions as owners of the good ones do not care to run them in the heavy going that prevails

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NEW YORK Dec 13—At a meeting of the stewards of the Jockey Club yesterday presided over by August Belmont a motion was adopted and the secretary of the club was instructed to write to all associations racing under the jurisdiction of the Jockey Club requesting them to refuse all further entries from C E Durnell and of any horse in which he may own an interest

When seen in Emeryville this morning in regard to the ruling of the New York Jockey Club stewards Durnell said

There must be some mistake I haven't made application to enter any of my horses with the Jockey Club I do not understand why such action should be taken in view of the fact that I have not attempted to make entries The entries do not close until spring so far as I know I am not speculating on reasons for the action if it was taken as I have not made a move to invite such a decision

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The judge suspended Jockey Galindo for a week for having bumped Prince Brutus with F M Brattain

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Starter Dick Dwyer gave Eddie Lynch two days on the ground

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W W Finn is now the owner of Salvage

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Martin Nathanson will succeed to the place of Mr Egbert Mr Egbert will seek a warmer climate as soon as his health will permit him to travel His physician has advised either Santa Barbara or Arizona

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Of loyal disposition Mr Egbert remained at his very responsible post at times when he should have been in bed and the terrible strain has told on him He has been for years a sufferer from kidney trouble He was in a very critical condition Wednesday but showed slight improvement yesterday although he was unable to leave his bed

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Mr Egbert has been a shining example of integrity in the turf world Although of an austere aspect he was as kindly and big hearted as a woman and he had many friends among the better class of horsemen

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Before he took up his connections with the jockey club Mr Egbert was a newspaper writer of rare ability and talent His friends hope Horace a speedy return of health

Sandy your ride on Sea Air could have been improved upon

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Jockey Price rode a well judged race on Meada.

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Owner Charley Brant had his friends to bet on Menila S to get some part of the coin The Free Knight mare did not run her race

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Blondy who was taken off the schooling list was shipped to Arcadia yesterday

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Johnny Norton and Harry Norris of Sacramento were visitors at the track yesterday

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Owner Harry Mack is contemplating buying a lemon orchard at Arcadia.

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Bookmaker Joe Harlan who has met with reversals in the booking line to the tune of $[illegible]000 in the last three weeks, will lay off at the next cut in

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Bertie A and Mabel Hollander were flirting during their journey

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Mannice's revised Turf Reporter will be out today Look out for it.

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Owner and Trainer Willie Shields will not go to the coast this winter

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Bookmaker Jack Cauley (Chalky Jack) made his appearance at the track yesterday

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Joe Nealon and Merritt Buxton got got their prep for the Pacific Union Handicap in the losing race yesterday

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Bookmaker H B Sherry in a letter to Willie Quincy says that the Arcadia game is on the improve

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There was a large Thursday gathering at Williams Park yesterday and the betting was more than brisk

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News comes from Los Angeles that the natives do not take kindly to the length of time it takes to get to the race track They will overcome this small matter in time

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The juveniles just took off enough money on Jordan place and show to keep their heads above water for the time being

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The many that bet on Moore Johnson were looking for Moore money after the races

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Wap who won the curtain raiser, ran in the colors of John Lowe

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There will be something stirring in the sixth race today Ale Rief meets all comers Watch the betting

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Fine selling and one purse race makes up today's card

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Crip the favorite in the second, after leading into the stretch broke his leg, and was put out of commission

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Nine Spot was the joker in the third race

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Jockey McLean who was badly hurt in a race at Lewiston Idaho last fall, was at the track yesterday He said that his knee is a little stiff yet from the injury received but hopes to be able to ride in a few weeks

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Boots Durnell trialed Owner Jakie Jones Burlingame a two year old for Lord of the Vale

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Joe Yeager is one turfite who is taking matters easily in New York Recently he said that he intended to rest up until the first of the year when he would go to San Francisco His season he said had been a fairly good one and he had a balance on the right side of the ledger at the end of his play

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Nine Spot was the joker in the third race

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The yearling bay colt by Hastings—Donna le Oro a full brother to the two-year old Hal which F Regan has at City Park in charge of Joe Kelly is said to be the fastest youngster at the track this winter Regan bought him last summer out of the August Belmont consignment to the summer sales for $1100 He is a fine looking colt and compares favorably in every way with the best of the colts wintering at that track

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Little Jockey Curtis made his first appearance before the public yesterday He made the weight on Tawasentha, the second choice in the fourth race The boy made a fairly good showing in his initial ride Curtis is a son of ex Sheriff Curtis of San Francisco

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Jockey Lucien Lyne who rode in England this year for Lord Carnarvon has arrived at the home of his father at Lexington Ky Lyne has been in England since last February and rode his first winner when Azbar won the Union Jack Stakes at Liverpool in April He will return to England in February

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C B Wilson grabbed Prince Brutus, the winner of the six furlongs for $800

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Trainer Martinez had a century each way on Sam aBrber Sam was shy of speed

Bill Curtis
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Prince Brutus	11 to 5
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SACRED CONCERT BY BLIND PUPILS

State Institute Students Will Hold Annual Event Next Sunday Afternoon.

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—The blind pupils of the State Institute for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind wil hold their annual sacred concert next Sunday afternoon in the assembly hall at 2:30 o'clock. The program follows: c x

Part I—Christmas carols, primary class; organ solo, "Christmas Offertory," Andrew Svensen; piano solo, Margaret Keough; vocal solo, "I Eyes that Are Weary," Maud Hilton; piano solo, Everett Deckard; vocal solo, "The Gleaner's Slumber Song," Ruby Finnerty; organ solo, Valentine Miller; piano solo, Hazel Piper.

Part II—Organ solo, "Introduction and Prayer" from Rienzi, Everett Deckard; piano solo, Andrew Svensen; vocal solo, "The Voice of the Father," Marguerite Graham; piano solo (Henri Ravina), Valentine Miller; vocal solo, "There Were Shepherds," Remilda Debotondi; organ solo, prelude to "Parsifal," Hazel Piper; chorus, "This Is the Day."

5 FILIPINO WOMEN AT COLLEGE ISSUE A MAGAZINE

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—The December number of the Philippine Review, a magazine published by the Filipino students at the University, made its appearance this morning. The magazine for this month is edited by women, of whom the following are on the staff in charge: Editor in chief, Miss Honorata Acosta; editor, Miss Luisa Sison; associate editors, Miss Isabel Florendo and I. P. Santos; district manager, Miss Gendera Llamas.

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'PELICAN' POKES FUN AT EFFORT TO EXCLUDE WOMEN STUDENTS

College Paper Thinks Co-Eds Have as Much Right to Political Privileges as Men.

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—Fun is poked at the recent action of the Associated Students of the University of California in entertaining a new amendment to the constitution which restricts membership in the organization to men students only, by the Pelican, the student comic magazine, which made its apearance on the campus this morning.

Hitherto the women have been allowed to pay their annual dues, consisting of $1 a year, for the privilege of voting for the president of the Associated Students each year, and with this their rights and privileges ended. They were not allowed to take part in naming their candidate, nor has there ever in the history of the university been a woman named to the position of honor.

WANT MORE RIGHTS.

Recently a movement was launched among the women to be admitted to full rights and privileges in the organization. A joint meeting was held for the consideration of the question, at which an amendment was entertained excluding the women from even membership in the organization. This action was taken over the dissenting voices of many women and men students in the university.

The grounds upon which the Pelican regards the whole thing as a farce are found in the following editorial:

"Pelly is amused, and feels that she has a right to smile. Although not meant as a joke, the new amendment submitted for ratification by the A. S. U. C. contains an element of the ridiculous: 'Men students only shall have the privilege of membership in the Associated Students of the University of California.' As California is a co-educational institution, and liable to continue as one, it is obvious that an organization composed of men only has no more right to the name than has the Associated Women Students or the Agricultural Club. The women are certainly classed as students, and as such have a right to demand membership in any organization calling itself the Associated Students of the University.

IMPERFECT MACHINE.

"The supporters of the movement claim that the women never know how to vote, that their vote cannot be counted upon. Pelly admits much may be said on this question, and it really is too bad that the 'machine' isn't perfect. But as reformation seems to be in order, the old bird suggests a squint in the other direction. Let the searchlight make a careful revolution and throw a guarded ray into the camp of the reformers. Maybe some cleansing will be found necessary. Possibly some student societies and organizations may be induced to bury the hatchet and forget their ancient feuds. We might even stop the 'political trades' and the circulation of damaging stories, prevent the—but why say more. Make a clean sweep. The old bird maintains the reformers have much to brush away."

Final attention will be called in the matter when it will be submitted to a vote of the entire student body under the Australian ballot system at the first of

AMERICA LOSING BRAZIL'S TRADE

Lax Methods of Exporters Said to be Cause of Germany Securing Business.

BERKELEY, Dec. 13.—Professor Lincoln Hutchinson, of the College of Commerce of the University, and special investigator of the government, has just made a report to the Department of Commerce and Labor on conditions of trade in Central and South America. These have been published in the form of bulletins.

In regard to Brazil, Professor Hutchinson advises the passage of a reciprocity treaty with that country and the appointment of more consuls. He characterizes the consular service there now as inadequate. He believes that the exporters and importers of the United States have scarcely touched the possibilities which Brazil presents. He scores American manufacturers for the careless way in which their goods are packed and invoiced.

U. S. LOSES BUSINESS.

Regarding a typical importing firm in Argentina, he says that because of the care with which German goods are sent and the carelessness of the Americans, this firm is turning to European "connections, and the business which ten years ago was almost exclusively American is rapidly becoming European."

The same warning he repeats in the Central American report. He adds that much harm is done the prestige of American goods in Central America by the willful dumping there of "good enough" goods. The wealthier Central Americans, he declares, know what is good and what is not, and they are willing to pay for the former. American exporters, he concludes, only hurt their own business by sending products of an inferior quality. One pertinent sentence in this report follows:

"In most of the more important articles of Central American import the United States not only holds the bulk of the trade, but is increasing her share of the total."

HIS JAW FRACTURED IN ROW OVER CERTIFICATES

W. A. Beard, a follower of the races, was arrested last night by Marshal John Carey of Emeryville for fracturing the jaw of John Adams, another racetrack habitue, in an alleged altercation yesterday afternoon.

The fight is said to have originated over a dispute concerning the validity of clearing-house certificates. E. B. Stewart was also arrested for participating in the row. Adams was treated at the Receiving Hospital by Dr. W. H. Rice.

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Today being Friday and the 13th of the month few marriage licenses were issued. Not many people had the hardihood to face this combination of hard luck and an easy time was enjoyed by Marriage License Clerk Ford. Early in the morning a young couple entered and secured a license. They were Manuel Roach, 22 years of age, of this city, and Julia Jardin, 19 years old, of Fruitvale. It developed that not until Roach had paid his fee did he realize that he was getting the precious certificate on the 13th. It was too late for him to decline it then, although he expressed some doubts as to what would happen for having gone into the face of the combination of 13 and Friday.

WANTS Y. M. C. A. FUNDS AT DALNY

Carlisle Hibbard Here From the Orient to Secure Money for Work There.

Carlisle Hibbard, student secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at Tokyo, arrived here last night from Japan, and is registered at Hotel Touraine. Hibbard's mission in visiting California is to secure funds for a Young Men's Christian Association at Dalny, the commercial port of Manchuria.

During the war Dalny was the seat of all military operations, and during the battles the Young Men's Christian had quarters there and did great service in supplying the needs of the Japanese soldiers.

"Christianity was formerly excluded from the army," said Mr. Hibbard today. "Prior to the war the army and navy men expressed all their loyalty and allegiance to the Emperor. Now they have accepted practical Christianity. There is great religious need among the settlers at Dalny. Among the better class of Japanese Christianity is practiced. Religiously Japan changes very slowly. There has been a decided change since the war.

"In appreciation of the good work rendered by the Young Men's Christian Association during the war, the Emperor of Japan gave $5000 to the association to carry on its missionary work at Dalny.

"In Tokyo there are 1200 student members of the association, who reside in dormitories for the purpose of extending Christian work and implanting Christian ideals. At the time the World's Congress met in Tokyo $2500 was appropriated for dormitories. As the result of this endowment four dormitories were erected in Tokyo, where there are twelve student associations and one city association. The Young Men's Christian Association has changed the entire thought of the Japanese, principally the ideals of the lower classes. The sanitary and moral conditions have improved and will continue to improve as the Japanese accept Christianity. They are working unconsciously toward Christian ideals and day by day they are becoming converted.

"Our Young Men's Christian Association at Dalny will be a self-supporting institution and will cost about $40,000. There are 25,000 Japanese and 5000 Chinese in Dalny who are in need of Christian ideals."

Hibbard has been a missionary in Japan for the past five years and is well acquainted with the ways of the Orientals. He was elected to his executive position by the International Young Men's Christian Association, which convened in New York five years ago.

ANOTHER LANDSLIDE BLOCKS RAILROAD TRACK

REDDING, Cal., Dec. 13.—A landslide at Castella for the fourth time blocking the railroad track last night. Passenger trains were held at Dunsmuir and Redding until four o'clock this morning.

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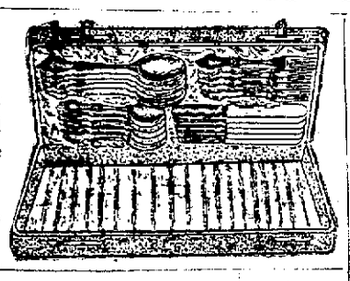

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852 Washington st., cor. 7th.
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861½ Clay st., bet. 7th and 8th.
All under same management; 300 good rooms, from 25c to $1.50 per day. Special rates to permanent.

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A COMPLETELY furnished modern 5-room cottage; bath and laundry, gas and electricity; reasonable if applied for at once 640 47th st., east of Grove.

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A FURNISHED 3-room apartment with private bath; modern. St. Francis, 570 19th st.

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$30—Nicely furnished sunny three-room flat at 6662 Telegraph ave.

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ELEGANT upper flat, 5 rooms, laundry and attic room; very sunny. 548 27th st., near Tel. ave. Phone Oakland 6070.

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3 beautiful large rooms, good open fire grate and mantel; fine porcelain bath and laundry; sun in every room; two fine bay windows; private entrance; suitable for small family. 2016 Market st. (near 30th).

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A LARGE sunny front room with board; private family; select location; two, $60; one, $30. 1255 Harrison st.

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PRIVATE family boarding. 1315 Webster st. Table board.

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Rooms with or without board.
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SUNNY furnished room with board, in quiet, refined family, suitable for one or two gentlemen; near Key Route and Narrow Gauge stations. Box 4915, Tribune.

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Large sunny rooms with board; everything first-class; moderate rates. 156 E. 12th st.

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A NEATLY furnished room, upper flat; electric lights, bath; for one, $10; two, $12. 816½ 13th st.

A LARGE front room available for 1 or 2 persons; ½ block from K. R. Inn and Broadway; reasonable. 472 23d st.

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A VERY pleasant front room, heated. 1509 Franklin st.

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ELEGANTLY furnished rooms overlooking Lake Merritt, 20th and Harrison.

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FURNISHED room suitable for two gentlemen or for housekeeping. 2135 Adeline st.

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FOR RENT—A very large sunny parlor bed room on Telegraph, near 28th, for 1 or 2 gentlemen. Box 6213, Tribune.

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FURNISHED bedrooms, $1.50 to $2.50 per week; phone, bath. 917 Jefferson st.

FINE large front room for 2 gentlemen; $3 a week. 1352 13th ave.

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N. W. cor. 8th and Franklin sts.—Just opened and centrally located; hot and cold water in every room; electric lights; 50c to $2 per day; special price for permanent; must be seen; open all night.
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WANTED—4 or 5 modern unfurnished rooms; family of 3 and 1 child; walking distance to Broadway; references exchanged. Box 6266, Tribune.

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FURNISHED room with or without housekeeping privileges; private entrance. 472A 24th st.

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FURNISHED room to let, with use of kitchen at 768 13th st. Call before 11:30 a. m.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms for rent. 520 26th st. Apply 678 13th st.; phone Oakland 9299.

FINE sunny, clean, bedrooms; also two connecting housekeeping rooms; private entrance; central. 615 15th st.

FURNISHED room for light housekeeping. 210 13th st.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 771 5th st., cor. Market.

FURNISHED housekeeping room. 1033 Adeline st.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; $6 week. 158 8th st.

FOUR furnished housekeeping rooms; every convenience. 517 19th st.

FURNISHED 3 and 4-room apartments. "Dundas" apartments. 306 San Pablo.

LARGE sunny front room, $4.50 per week. 1128 Filbert st.

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Two to four rooms; kitchen and bath; elegantly furnished Marshall-Stearns wall beds. 827 Grand ave., near Webster.

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Rooms and suites for housekeeping; furnished and unfurnished. Prices very reasonable.

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1405 West, cor. 18th st.
Finely furnished 2 and 3-room suites for housekeeping; central; rates moderate.

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THREE furnished housekeeping rooms, $15. 570 25th st., between Grove and Telegraph ave.

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THREE furnished housekeeping rooms. 1176 18th st.; Oakland 5649.

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TWO newly furnished housekeeping rooms, modern. 1676 11th st.

THREE nicely furnished rooms; bath, gas, electricity, piano; adults. 673 35th st.

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TWO unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. 916 4th ave.

THREE rooms and bath, furnished for housekeeping; adults. 681 35th st.

THREE furnished housekeeping rooms; bath; $25 month. 813 20th st.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms; bath and separate entrance. 109 5th st.

TWO large sunny housekeeping rooms, bath, laundry; $15. 1621 9th st.

UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 1560 West st., near 22d Key Route.

318 14th ST.—Sunny front suite; running water, bath, gas, phone; reasonable.

APARTMENTS.

APARTMENTS TO RENT
The Charlton Apartments in the new building on the southeastern corner of San Pablo ave. and Twenty-third st., have been opened and suites can be secured by applying on th epremises. These apartments are much larger, lighter and more airy than is usual; they are within one block of the Key Route station, within easy walking distance of the City Hall, and on a car line that will carry passengers to any part of Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, Fruitvale, for one five-cent fare. This is the best building on the avenue. Apply on the premises.
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Three new stores to lease on the southeast corner of San Pablo ave. and Twenty-third st. These stores are absolutely new, in the new business center that is growing up around the Key Route station, within one block of that station and on the side of San Pablo ave., upon which the Key Route stops, within two blocks of where the Southern Pacific Company will have its depot for its new cross-town line.
These are the only stores in this neighborhood which have full basements with concrete walls and floors, eight feet in the clear with entrances through the sidewalk.
Apply to owner.

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Five-Room Cottage
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Balance on Easy Terms at 8% Gross

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with gas and electricity, bath; all modern conveniences; close to Idora Park; lot 33x102; street and sidewalk work all done. This is a great opportunity for some one at $3650.

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$8750

Four good flats, 5 and 6 rooms each; in one of Oakland's best renting central districts; near 12-street car line; income, $1330 per annum; always rented. Bank books accepted.

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Pair nearly new flats, 5 and 6 rooms; in fine neighborhood, within 5 minutes' walk to City Hall; 3 minutes' walk to Key Route station; rents $65 per month. Will take $3500 in bank books, balance can remain.

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Nearly new store, with living rooms and bath in rear; 5-room flat above; store under lease; income, $57.50 per month, but should be more. This is a fine little interurban corner, on one of Oakland's best business streets. $1750 mortgage can remain; balance will be taken in bank accounts.

$5700

Here is a close-in bargain; a good 7-room house, on the best street this side of 25th street, near Telegraph avenue; north side; driveway; convenient to 22d-street Key Route; almost in business center. $3200 loan can remain at 8 per cent gross.

$2650

Pretty little bungalow, 4 rooms; 40 feet frontage; $1500 mortgage can remain at 8 per cent gross. Near 38th and Telegraph avenue.

$950

A Snap—Lot 37½ feet frontage; average depth, 70 feet; just the place for a pretty little cottage home or flats; near 29th street; absolutely the exceptionally cheapest buy in this location.

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Nos. 460-462 8th Street, Oakland

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$3000 invested in a pair of excellent new flats brings you a net income of $50 per month; best finish; street work complete; high ground, nice view; close in. Apply owner, 204 E. 19th st., near 4th ave.

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NOTHING down, only $30 per month, buys new 5-room cottage, near San Pablo ave.; total price $2250. Apply 826 14th st.

NEW, modern 5-room cottage; 26th st., E. Oakland. $500 down. Address or call W. H. M., 722 Hopkins st.

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REFUSE PAY FOR EXTRA SESSION

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 13.—Senators E. O. Miller of Visalia and R. G. Lukens of Oakland and Assemblyman E. S. Birdsall of Auburn have returned to State Controller Nye their warrants for $8 each per diem for attendance at the recent legislative extra session. Other members of the Legislature have already expressed an intention not to accept payment for services at the second session, and other warrants are expected to come back to the controller from day to day.

Several days ago Attorney-General Webb rendered an opinion to the controller in which he held that the legislators are entitled to pay for the second session. Since then the controller has been mailing warrants to the Senators and Assemblymen.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC — DEPARTURES and ARRIVALS — OAKLAND

Trains are due to arrive and leave —AT— SIXTEENTH-STREET STATION

On and After December 8, 1907.
Leave— —Arrive

7:34a—Richmond, San Pablo, Pinole, Rodeo, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Dixon, Sacramento, Roseville, Chico, Red Bluff, Redding, Kennet, Dunsmuir, Elmira, Vacaville, Rumsey—Davis, Woodland, Oroville, Corning, Tehama 6:08p
8:13a—Vallejo, Calistoga, Martinez, Concord, Danville, San Ramon 5:39p
8:37a—Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Sparks, Hazen, Churchill, Mina, Tonopah, Goldfield—Laws, Keeler 6:54a
8:53a—Port Costa, Martinez, Cornwall, Antioch, Byron, Tracy, Lathrop, (Stockton), Modesto, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Visalia, Porterville, Bakersfield 4:05p
8:57a—Atlantic Express—Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Hazen, Winnemucca, Battle Mountain, Ogden, Salt Lake City 6:48p
10:11a—Stege, Richmond, San Pablo, Pinole, Rodeo, Vallejo Junction 8:09p
10:42a—Overland Limited—Ogden, Cheyenne, (Denver), Omaha, Chicago—Salt Lake City, Denver, Kansas City, Des Moines, Chicago 7:40p
10:54a—Los Angeles Passenger — Richmond, Port Costa, Byron, Modesto, Fresno, Bakersfield, Los Angeles—Hanford—Visalia and Southern California points—Vallejo, Mare Island, Napa South 10:57a
2:53p—Portland Express Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Davis, Redding, Shasta Springs, Ashlands, Portland 9:18a
3:31p—Richmond, Pinole, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Dixon, Sacramento—Davis, Woodland, Tudor, Yuba City, Marysville, Palermo, Oroville 10:08a
3:53p—Fresno Passenger — Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez, Cornwall, Antioch, Brentwood, Byron, Tracy, Lathrop, Modesto, Turlock, Merced, Berenda, Madera, Fresno 11:34a
4:34p—Vallejo, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga, Martinez, Danville, San Ramon 8:53a
4:57—Eastern Express—Port Costa, Byron, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Reno, Derby, (Wadsworth), Hazen, (Fallon), Battle Mountain, Palisade, Carlin, Elko, Cobre, Montello, Ogden—Salt Lake City, Pueblo, Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago 12:12p
5:35p—Owl Limited—Port Costa, Newman, Los Banos, Kerman, Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Los Angeles 9:14a
6:15p—El Dorado—Pinole, Vallejo, Mare Island, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento 10:57a
6:55p—China and Japan Fast Mail—Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Cobre, Ogden, Cheyenne, Denver, Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago 12:27p
7:35p—Sunday Only—Stege, Richmond, Pinole, Rodeo, Vallejo, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez *9:46p
8:57p—Oregon Express, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Lincoln, Wheatland, Marysville, Gridley, Biggs, Chico, Vina, Tehama, Red Bluff, Shasta Springs, Portland 8:03a

(FIRST STREET, NEAR BROADWAY.)

7:17a—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose........ Connects at San Jose with the Coaster—Gilroy, Pajaro, Castroville, Salinas, Paso Robles Hot Springs, San Luis Obispo, Surf, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles—Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove—Lompoc 6:30a
8:17a—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Altamont, Carbona, Midway, Lathrop, Stockton, Tracy, Newman, Los Banos, Dos Palos, Kerman, Hanford, Visalia, Porterville, Bakersfield 6:54p
8:38a—Alvarado, Newark, Centerville, Alviso, Agnew, San Jose, Campbell, Los Gatos, Alma, Wright, Laurel 3:12a
Connects at Santa Clara with San Luis Obispo Passenger—Hollister, Tres Pinos—rel, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove 6:09p
9:30a—Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Elk Grove, Sacramento, Red Bluff ...... Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Tuolumne, Angels 4:05p
2:00p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, Warm Springs, San Jose 7:09a
2:20p—Mt. Eden, Alvarado, Newark, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose .... Connects at San Jose with Del Monte Express—Gilroy, Tres Pinos — Watsonville, Santa Cruz — Castroville, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove 6:49p
3:35p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, San Jose 8:50a
Connects at San Jose with Sunset Express—El Paso, San Antonio, Houston, New Orleans, Washington, D. C., New York, Chicago and St. Louis Special Sleeper for Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Salinas, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Surf, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Burbank, Los Angeles 2:08p
4:35p—Niles, Sunol, Pleasanton, Livermore, Altamont, Midway, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi (Arrive via Martinez at Sixteenth-street depot) 9:56a
5:15p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Sunol, Pleasanton, Livermore *7:50a **11:08a
5:38p—Mt. Eden, Newark, Centerville, Santa Clara, San Jose, Los Gatos, Wright 5:04p
5:56p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose 8:52a
7:16p—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, San Jose ...... Connects at San Jose with Los Angeles Express — San Jose, Sargent, Salinas, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, El Paso, San Antonio, Houston, New Orleans, Washington, New York...... Watsonville, Santa Cruz—Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Lompoc 6:09p
9:24p—Hunters Train, Saturdays only—San Jose and way stations ... **7:50p

SOUTHERN PACIFIC STEAMER SERVICE.
(Oakland Harbor Ferry)
6:00a., 7:00a., 8:00a., 9:00a., 10:00a., 11:00a., 12:00m., 1:00p., 2:00p., 3:00p., 4:00p., 5:00p., 6:00p., 7:00p., 8:00p., 9:00p., **10:00p.
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TO PETITION TO KEEP OUT JAPS

Exclusion Leagues to Circulate Papers Throughout Coast for Congress' Perusal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The Japanese and Korean Exclusion League has in preparation an exclusion petition which will be circulated throughout the State and presented to Congress. It is estimated that between 500,000 and 1,000,000 names will be attached. Exclusion Leagues in Washington, Oregon, Montana and other Pacific and Intermountain States are also engaged in the same work.

Asiatic Exclusion Leagues of the Pacific Coast and Intermountain States will hold a convention in the city of Seattle on February 3, 1908. The convention promises to be largely attended. Much interest is already shown throughout the western part of the United States, and numerous inquiries regarding the matters to come before the convention are being answered by officers of the league.

The executive board of the local league of which O. A. Tveitmoe is president and A. E. Yoell secretary, meets every Saturday evening at the headquarters, 10 Turk street.

MEXICO CITY AND RETURN

Southern Pacific Company is contemplating running the usual excursion to the City of Mexico about January 6th, 1908, providing there will be sufficient patronage. Those who desire to make this trip should make application early. Call at the Southern Pacific Company, corner 13th and Franklin streets, Oakland, Cal., or phone Oakland 543 or Home A-2543.

Gold Footballs For the Players

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. 13.—Gold footballs have been awarded the eighteen men who represented Stanford against Berkeley, and to the two coaches and the graduate manager. The men who received the handsome trophies are Coach James W. Lanagan, Coach George J. Presley, Captain W. Koerner '08 of Portland, J. R. Pemberton '08 of San Francisco, H. Rhyne '07 of Paso Robles, L. R. Minturn of San Francisco, D. P. Crawford '09 of Cupertino, J. O. Miller '08 of San Francisco, R. H. Reynolds '10 of Los Angeles, C. A. Thorp '09 of Los Angeles, K. L. Fenton '08 of Portland, C. F. Ganong '10 of Portland, M. M. Mitchell '10 of Los Angeles, T. Vandervoort '08 of Palo Alto, J. R. Holman '09 of Portland, C. C. Owen '09 of Pasadena, T. R. Cadwalader '09 of Los Angeles, F. C. Brown '11 of Selma, S. M. Vail '08 of San Francisco, G. Knupp, graduate manager.

Stanton Draws With Robinson

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Walter Stanton of San Francisco, who has been toppling over all the fighters of this region, did not show his usual speed here before the Sharkey Athletic Club last night, and allowed Jack Robinson to tarry six rounds with him.

The Californian did not fight his usually sturdy battle. Robinson fought him a good, game fight. The spectators who saw the mill believe that Stanton was either ill or under duress.

Here's Good Advice.

O. S. Woolver, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at Osgood Bros., drug stores, 7th and Broadway and 12th and Washington streets, Oakland.

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SALOON PERMITS MAY BE FORFEIT

License Committee Recommends That Delinquents be Cut From List.

If those who have been granted licenses by the City Council to open saloons and who have not taken out those permits yet do not take them out and pay for them, they will be forfeited, if the recommendation of the license committee of the council is favorably passed upon by the council.

This recommendation was made at the meeting of the committee last night, Councilman Everhart offering the motion.

Councilman Everhart stated that there are now four licenses which are not being paid for, although they have been granted.

It was recommended that Rubino & Arena of 1161 Seventh street be permitted to withdraw their application for a license.

TO DREDGE CHANNEL FOR DEEP WATER VESSELS

City Plans to Deepen Franklin Street Wharf Landing.

The Wharves and Water Front Committe of the City Council last night recommended that bids for dredging the channel near the Franklin-street wharf be advertised for.

The resolution provides that $8000 be appropriated from the wharf fund for the purpose. The channel is to be dredged to a depth of 25 feet. The government is now dredging the main channel to the same depth.

Many deep water vessels are now docking here and it has been found that it is necessary that the channel be deepened to accommodate them.

NEW LODGE ORGANIZED BY LOCAL ODD FELLOWS

Petition for a warrant to organize an Odd Fellows' lodge in North Oakland, has been applied for by straggling members from other jurisdictions, including some of the most active members of the order. It is the intention to institute this lodge about the 1st of January, 1908. The outlook indicates about fifty charter members. The promoter of this lodge would be more than glad to hear of any others residing in Oakland to join this charter list and would suggest them to communicate with either Col. J. K. Ritter, chief of staff, department of California, Patriarchs Militant, 578 Thirty-fourth street, Oakland; phone Piedmont 2487; P. G. Bro. J. F. Maganini or the secretary, Brother George C. Nall, 912 Forty-first street, Oakland; phone Piedmont 1539. Every Odd Fellow is requested to give his support and make this the largest and most successful institution yet known in Odd Fellowship's history. Success and Kia Ora to the new lodge and its promoters.

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Arnold Leads The Skaters

The third period of the six-day roller skating contest at Idora Park was held last night before a large crowd. The interest is increasing as the race progresses. Eleven skaters toed the starting point and eight of them covered twenty-seven laps before the gun was fired at the end of fifteen minutes. Arnold crossed the line first for the third time and Bignami finished second. Bignami registered a complaint of fouling against Arnold, which was attested to by the patrol judge and referee Mackey Sutherland penalized Arnold one-half lap. C. Street was also penalized one-half lap for blocking the other skaters. Considerable good-natured rivalry exists between the boys, especially between Bignami and Peterson, and some first-class skating may be expected the closing nights of the contest. Arnold and Bierworth are favorites for winners, and Huff may show up as the dark horse with the biggest credit when the final gun is fired Sunday evening.

The fourth period is billed for 9:30 this evening.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take.

Harry C. Pullman Elected President

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Harry C. Pulliam, present incumbent, was re-elected president of the National League at the meeting of that body at the Waldorf Astoria yesterday. John Heydler was unanimously re-elected secretary-treasurer of the same organization. The club owners discussed changes in the playing rules and constitution of the league, but took no definite action.

Santa Rosa to Play Auditorium Team

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 13.—The final skating polo game for the championship of California will be played here between the Auditorium team of San Francisco and the Santa Rosa Pavilion Rink team next Saturday evening. The teams are pretty evenly matched and each has a victory to its credit besides having played a tie game on a recent Sunday afternoon at the Auditorium rink. The game here Saturday evening will decide the championship between these teams and promises to be one of the most actively contested games ever played on the coast.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the guardianship of the person and estate of Arthur E. Graves, an insane person.

Order to show cause.

Minna F. Graves, guardian of the person and estate of Arthur E. Graves, an insane person, having filed her petition herein praying for an order of sale of the whole of said real estate of said insane person for the reasons and purposes therein set forth;

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the estate of said insane person appear before said Superior Court on the 6th day of January, 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 1 thereof, at the County Court House, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, to show cause if any they have, why an order should not be granted to said guardian to sell the whole of the real estate of said insane person at either public or private sale, as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in the said City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

Dated Dec. 4th, 1907.

T. W. HARRIS, Judge of the Superior Court.

GIBSON & WOOLNER, 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal., Attorneys for Estate.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of George A. Davis, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of George A. Davis, deceased, and for the issuance to Rose R. Davis of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 16th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 5th, 1907.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.

DUDLEY KINSELL, Attorney for Petitioner, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain Deed of Trust dated March 23rd, 1907, duly executed and delivered by SAMUEL A. MYHRE, a single man, of the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, and State of California, grantor, to the BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, a corporation, grantee, and trustee, and thereafter recorded on March 23rd, 1907, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 1833 of Deeds at page 233 and following, (which said Deed of Trust was made, executed and delivered by said SAMUEL A. MYHRE to said trustee, to secure the payment of the sum of Eighty thousand (80,000) Dollars, with interest, according to the terms of a certain promissory note of even date with said Deed of Trust, executed and delivered to the REALTY-BONDS AND FINANCE COMPANY, a corporation, by said SAMUEL A. MYHRE, and other sums named in said Deed of Trust,) and in pursuance of a certain notice and demand dated August 12th, 1907, made by C. W. MERRILL, the endorsee and owner of said promissory note, declaring that default has been made in the payment of the interest and other sums of money due under and by the terms of said promissory note, to the said C. W. MERRILL, as endorsee and owner of said promissory note, and to secure the payment of which the aforesaid Deed of Trust was executed as above, and declaring and exercising his option to declare the principal sum named in said promissory note, and the whole thereof, to be due and payable and matured, and requesting and demanding that said BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, trustee, sell the lands and premises described in said Deed of Trust, for the purpose of satisfying the said indebtedness of said SAMUEL A. MYHRE to the said C. W. MERRILL, owner of the said promissory note and the said indebtedness.

The BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, trustee under said Deed of Trust, hereby gives notice that default has been made in the payment of the principal and interest and other sums due from said SAMUEL A. MYHRE to said C. W. MERRILL, on said promissory note and that default has been made by said SAMUEL A. MYHRE in the payment of the said, and of other indebtedness to C. W. MERRILL, secured by said Deed of Trust, and that on Saturday, the 26th day of October, 1907, at 12 o'clock M. of that day and at the office of the REALTY-BONDS AND FINANCE COMPANY, No. 1172 Broadway, Street, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, said BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in Gold Coin of the United States of America, the place or parcel of land situate in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and which is particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point in the center of Temescal Creek, said point of commencement being the point of intersection of the southerly boundary line of Plot 72, as said Plot 72 is laid down, delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Subdivision of Kellersberger's Plot 72" filed May 27th, 1893, in the office of the County of Recorder of said County of Alameda, with the westerly boundary line of Plot G, as said Plot G is laid down delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled, "Map of the Undivided Mountain or Hill Land," etc., hereinafter referred to, and running thence along said westerly boundary line of said Plot G south 1° 24' east Six hundred Eighty-one and 90-100 (681.90) feet to the southerly boundary line of said Plot G; thence along said southerly boundary line of said Plot G south 55° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 70° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 17° 49' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 30° 24' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 47° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; thence 43° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 56° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 72° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 84° 41' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 81° 04' east One hundred Ninety-eight (198) feet; south 6° 11' west Thirty-nine and 60-100 (39.60) feet; south 57° 41' west One hundred Thirty-two (132) feet; south 42° 56' west Sixty-six (66) feet; south 6° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 78° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 22° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 52° 49' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 72° 4' east Ninety-two and 40-100 (92.40) feet; south 57° 34' east Forty-nine and 50-100 (49.50) feet; south 1° 34' east one hundred Seventy and 94-100 (170.94) feet; south 32° 04' east Seventy-three and 26-100 (73.26) feet; south 74° 34' east, Sixty-six (66) feet, south 49° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 22° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet, south 3° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 15° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 28° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet, south 41° 19' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 55° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet, south 70° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 84° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet, north 82° 56' east Sixty-six (66) feet; north 68° 56' east Sixty-six (66) feet, north 67° 56' east Sixty-six (66) feet, north 87° 26' east Sixty-six (66) feet; north 88° 26' east Sixty-six (66) feet, north 68° 56' east Sixty-six (66) feet; north 46° 26' east Sixty-six (66) feet, north 56° 26' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 73° 34' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 29° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 8° 56' west One hundred Thirty-two (132) feet; south 4° 31' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 14° 31' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 24° 11' west Two hundred Sixty-four (264) feet, south 4° 26' west Sixty-six (66) feet; south 14° 49' east Sixty-six (66) feet, south 60° 04' east Sixty-six (66) feet; south 77° 47' east Two hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 (228.75) feet, south 55° 40' east Ninety-nine and 65-100 (99.65) feet and north 75° 50' east Sixty-five and 50-100 (65.50) feet to a point in the northwesterly boundary line of that certain piece or parcel of land described in that certain deed from The Realty-Syndicate, a corporation, to P. E. Bowles, dated July 11th, 1906, and recorded September 24th, 1906, in Liber 1186 of Deeds, at page 372 in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, thence along said northwesterly boundary line and the northeasterly boundary line of said piece or parcel of land north 25° 20' east One hundred Sixty-nine and 69-100 (169.69) feet; south 55° 10' east Ninety-seven and 02-100 (97.02) feet and south 32° 40' east One hundred Sixty-two and 84-100 (162.84) feet to a point in said southerly boundary line of said Plot G; thence along said southerly boundary line of said Plot G, south 72° 10' East Forty-seven and 17-100 (47.17) feet to the Southeasterly boundary line of said Plot G; thence along said southeasterly boundary line of said Plot G north 46° 20' east Seven hundred Forty-five and 86-100 (745.86) feet to the Northeasterly boundary line of said Plot G, thence along said Northeasterly boundary line of said Plot G North 37° 30' West Three hundred Ninety-nine and 58-100 (399.58) feet; North 74° 14' West Two hundred Nineteen and 5-100 (219.05) feet; North 57° 17' West Two hundred Ninety-three and 1-100 (293.01) feet; north 56° 20' west Eight hundred seventeen and 18-100 (817.18) feet; North 38° 15' West Two hundred Sixty-six and 38-100 (266.38) feet and North 29° 12' East Four hundred Eighty-nine and 60-100 (489.60) feet to a point in said center of said Temescal Creek, said point being the common corner of said Plot G, Plot F and Plot 72, as said Plot F and said Plot 72 are laid down, delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Map of the Undivided Mountain or Hill Land," etc., hereinafter referred to; thence down said Temescal Creek and along the boundary line between said Plot G and said Plot 72 north 49° 13' west Fifty and 22-100 (50.22) feet; north 62° 17' west Seventy-five and 96-100 (75.96) feet; south 65° 53' west One hundred Thirty-two and 92-100 (132.92) feet; north 49° 57' west One hundred Ninety-eight (198) feet; north 80° 22' west Fifty-four and 12-100 (54.12) feet; north 71° 22' west Sixty-six (66) feet; north 77° 52' west One hundred Thirty and 83-100 (130.83) feet; north 32° 47' west One hundred Seventy-eight and 20-100 (178.20) feet; north 72° 07' west One hundred forty-five and 86-100 (145.86) feet; north 23° 47' west Sixty-six (66) feet; north 14° 47' west Forty-nine and 50-100 (49.50) feet; north 53° 47' west Sixty-six (66) feet; north 71° 42' west Fifty-four and 78-100 (54.78) feet; north 30° 32' west One hundred Thirty-two (132) feet; north 67° 17' west Ninety-two and 40-100 (92.40) feet, north 33° 47' west One hundred Thirty-two (132) feet; north 77° 17' west Sixty-five and 23-100 (65.23) feet; south 67° 43' west One hundred eighteen and 83-100 (118.83) feet; north 11° 02' west One hundred Thirty and 65-100 (130.65) feet; south 53° 43' west Fifty-nine and 40-100 (59.40) feet; north 77° 47' west One hundred Two and 14-100 (102.14) feet and south 44° 13' west Seventy and 12-100 (70.12) feet to the point of commencement.

CONTAINING Seventy-two and 52-100 (72.52) acres, and

BEING a portion of Plot G, as said Plot is laid down, delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Map of the Undivided Mountain or Hill Land of the Vicente & Domingo Peralta Rancho as Partitioned by a Decree of the Third District Court of March 2nd, 1875," etc., filed October 6th, 1875, in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda.

BEING all that piece or parcel of land heretofore conveyed by that certain deed from George Sterling and Carrie R. Sterling, his wife, to The Realty Syndicate, a corporation, dated September 30th, 1902, and recorded January 27th, 1903, in Liber 870 of Deeds, at page 231, in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, EXCEPTING THAT PORTION of that certain piece or parcel of land described in that certain deed from The Realty Syndicate a corporation, to P. E. Bowles, dated July 13th, 1906, and recorded September 24th, 1906, in Liber 1186 of Deeds, at page 372, in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, included in said Plot G.

SAVING AND EXCEPTING from the above described property that certain piece or parcel of land described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of said southerly boundary line of said Plot G with said southeasterly boundary line of said Plot G, and running thence north 54° 50' east along said southeasterly boundary line of said Plot G One hundred Thirty-two and 6-10 (132.6) feet; thence leaving said southeasterly boundary line of said Plot G south 81° 30' west One hundred Seventy-eight and 1-10 (178.1) feet to a point in said northeasterly boundary line of said piece or parcel of land described in said deed from said The Realty Syndicate, a corporation to said P. E. Bowles; thence south 32° 40' east along said northeasterly boundary line of said piece or parcel of land Forty-two and 2-10 (42.2) feet to a point in said southerly boundary line of said Plot G and thence along said southerly boundary line of said Plot G south 72° 10' east Forty-seven and 17-100 (47.17) feet to the point of commencement.

Terms of sale—Cash in Gold Coin of the United States; Ten (10) per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer; balance on delivery of deed; and if not so settled, unless for want of title (Ten (10) days being allowed for search), then said Ten (10) per cent to be forfeited and the sale to be void.

Said C. W. MERRILL (being the owner of the said promissory note and of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust) or any other person, may purchase at said sale.

Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.

Dated at Oakland, Alameda County, California, the 3rd day of October, 1907.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, Trustee.

By J. A. THOMSON, Secretary.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT.

Pursuant to authority given in the above mentioned Deed of Trust, the BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, Trustee in said Deed of Trust, hereby gives notice of postponement of the above sale to Saturday, the 23d day of November, 1907, at the hour of 12 o'clock m., said sale to be at the same place and upon the same terms and conditions set forth in the above notice.

Dated at Oakland, Alameda County, California, the 26th day of October, 1907.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, Trustee.

By J. A. THOMSON, Secretary.

SECOND NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT.

Pursuant to authority given in the above mentioned Deed of Trust, the BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, Trustee in said Deed of Trust, hereby gives notice of postponement of the above sale to Saturday, the 21st day of December, 1907, at the hour of 12 o'clock m., said sale to be at the same place and upon the same terms and conditions set forth in the above notice.

Dated at Oakland, Alameda County, California, the 23d day of November, 1907.

BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, Trustee.

By J. A. THOMSON, Secretary.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Fred G. Dement, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Fred G. Dement, deceased, and for the issuance to Bessie Dement of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 16th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 2, 1907.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

By W. M. BROWNING, Deputy Clerk.

W. C. SHARPSTEIN, Attorney for Petitioner, 900 Eddy St., San Francisco.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Simon H. Dikeman, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Simon H. Dikeman, deceased, and for the issuance to James M. Dikeman of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in the Court, and that Monday, the 16th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 4, 1907.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

By W. M. BROWNING, Deputy Clerk.

GEO. D. METCALF and GEO. W. REED, Attorneys for Petitioner, 1104 Union Savings Bank Bldg., Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE UNION NATIONAL BANK OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of said Bank, on the northwest corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of the election of Directors for the ensuing year, the considering and acting upon the proposition of increasing the capital stock of said corporation, of amending its Articles of Association and By-Laws, and of further considering and acting upon such other propositions and business as may be necessary or proper.

Dated December 10th, 1907.

C. E. PALMER, President of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, and by

W. W. CRANE, Secretary and Cashier of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, Oakland, Cal.

For the six months ending December 31, 1907, a dividend has been declared at the rate of FOUR (4%) per cent per annum on savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1908. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1908.

J. Y. ECCLESTON, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, Cal.

For the six months ending December 31, 1907, a dividend has been declared on Savings Deposits at the rate of four (4%) per cent per annum, payable on and after January 2nd, 1908. Dividends not called for will be added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 2nd, 1908.

GEO. S. MEREDITH, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the offices of the corporation, northeast corner 14th and Broadway, in Oakland, California, on Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at 3.30 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. F. CARLSTON, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, Cal.

For the six months ending December 31st, 1907, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four per cent (4%) per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2d, 1908. Dividends not called for will be added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SECURITY BANK & TRUST CO., Oakland, Cal.

For the six months ending December 31, 1907, a dividend has been declared on Savings Deposits at the rate of four (4%) per cent per annum, payable on and after January 2d, 1908. Dividends not called for will be added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 2d, 1908.

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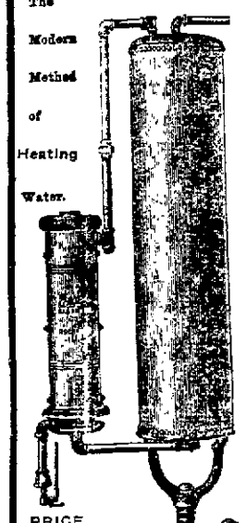

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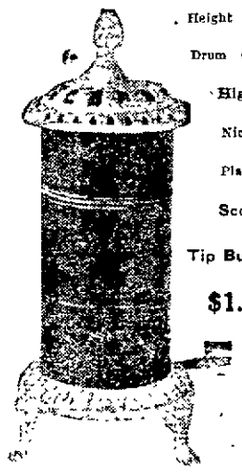

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ARRIVALS.

Adams Wharf.

Stmr Jaqua, 469 tons, Captain Johnson; 2,-500,000 shingles.

Barge No. 2, 150 tons; rails.

Stmr Hanalei, 825 tons; lumber.

City Wharf.

Barkentine Tolacha, 777 tons; 1300 tons of coal.

Scow Colonel Baker, 72 tons; 50 M feet lumber.

Long Wharf.

Stmr Coquille River, 265 tons, Captain Lilli-land, from Fort Bragg; 305 M feet lumber.

Stmr Spokane, 1289 tons, Captain Swartxson, from San Francisco; 100 M feet lumber.

Stmr Pomo, 235 tons, Captain Fagerstrom, from Albion; 270 M feet lumber.

Howard Wharf.

Stmr Sphelens; coal.

SAILED.

Adams Wharf.

Hanalei, left December 12.

Grace Dollar, left December 12.

Long Wharf.

Quinalt, left December 12.

Santa Monica, left December 12.

Ravilla, left December 13.

Tallac, left December 13.

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, December 13.—Cattle—Receipts, about 3500. Market weak. Beeves, $3.15@6.15; cows, $1 75@4; Texans, $3@3.75; calves, $4.75@6.75; western, $3.10@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.20@4.10.

Hogs—Receipts, about 29,000. Market 20c lower. Light $4.50@4.95; mixed, $4.50@4.95; heavy, $4.50@4.95, rough, $4.50@4.65; pigs, $3.90@4.75; bulk of sales, $4.75@4.85.

Sheep—Receipts about 10,000. Market, weak. Natives, $2@4 50; westerns, $2@4.60; yearlings, $4.80@5.30; lambs, $3.75@6.25; westerns, $3.75@6.15.

SUGAR AND COFFEE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3.30@3.35c; centrifugal 96 test, 3.85c; molasses sugar, 3@3.05c; refined, firm; crushed, 5.50c; powdered, 4.90c; granulated 4.80c.

Coffee, steady. No. 7 Rio 6c; No. 4 Santos, 7¾c.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR TERMINATION OF LIFE ESTATE IN CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of the PETITION OF FRANK H. PELOUZE, BELLE FULLER, JENNIE PELOUZE HARRINGTON, CRAIGIE PELOUZE, RICHARD PELOUZE, ALMENA RIPLEY and FANNIE PENDLETON, for a Decree terminating the Life Estate of Laura A. Pelouze in and to certain Real Property.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

To FRANK H. PELOUZE, BELLE FULLER, JENNIE PELOUZE HARRINGTON, CRAIGIE PELOUZE, RICHARD PELOUZE, ALMENA RIPLEY, FANNIE PENDLETON, HARRIET HARTSHORN, HARRY HARTSHORN, FRANK HARTSHORN, WILL HARTSHORN, BEN F. WOOLNER and CAREY HOWARD, as Executors of the last Will and Testament of Laura A. Pelouze, deceased, MILTON H. BRONDSON, ULYSSES P BRONDSON, ADELAIDE V. WILSON, SARAH E. WILLOW and DAVID R LOUD, and to all other persons interested in the property hereinafter described, or in the life estate of Laura A Pelouze therein, or in the termination of said life estate, GREETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in the above entitled Court by Frank H. Pelouze, Belle Fuller, Jennie Pelouze Harrington, Craigie Pelouze, Richard Pelouze, Almena Ripley, and Fannie Pendleton, praying for an order terminating the life estate of Laura A. Pelouze in and to certain real property described in said petition, and more particularly hereinafter described, by reason of the death of the said Laura A. Pelouze, on the 6th day of June, 1907; and that by an order of the said Superior Court, duly given and made on the 12th day of December, 1907, Monday, the 20th day of January, 1908, at the hour of ten (10) A. M., has been fixed as the time, and the Courtroom of the above entitled Court, Department No. Two thereof, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, has been fixed as the place for the hearing of said petition.

That the real property hereinabove referred to, and described in said petition as aforesaid, is as follows, to-wit:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Fifteen, Sixteen, Seventeen, Eighteen, and Twenty-three, in block No. thirty-two, as laid down and designated on the Map entitled "Map of Land on Oakland Point (Railroad Ferry Landing), City of Oakland, Tract 406," surveyed by R. L. Harris, Civil Engineer, which said Map is on file in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County, together with the improvements thereon.

Also, all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being a portion of Lot No. One in Block "G," as the same is numbered and delineated upon a certain Map entitled "Map of the land of the Peralta Homestead Association," filed April 17th, 1868, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

Also, an undivided one-half of Lot No. Ninety-three in Plat No. Five of the Mountain View Cemetery Association, containing two hundred and twenty-nine square feet, as per Map of Plat No. Five filed by the Association in the Recorder's office of Alameda County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 12th day of December, A. D. 1907.

(Office ! Seal)

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk

By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.

JELLETT & MEYERSTEIN, Attorneys for Petitioners, 110 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Patrick Mullen, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Patrick Mullen, deceased and for the issuance to Ellen Mullen of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 27th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No 4 of said Court, at the Court House, in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 12th, 1907.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.

McELROY & STETSON, Attorneys for Petitioner, 960 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of John M. Salmon, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John M. Salmon, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his residence, No. 460 48th street, Oakland, California, which said residence the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of John M. Salmon, deceased.

M. J. MAHONEY,

Administrator of the estate of John M. Salmon, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, December 10th, 1907.

CHARLES CLARK, Attorney for Administrator, San Jose, California.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of STEPHEN OTIS, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as executors of the last will and testament of STEPHEN OTIS, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the place of residence of Frank Otis, one of said executors, No. 1609 Santa Clara avenue, in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California, which said place of residence the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the estate of STEPHEN OTIS, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, December 13, 1907.

FRANK OTIS.

ARA OTIS.

Executors of the last will and testament of Stephen Otis, deceased.

EDWIN M. OTIS, 250 Montgomery street, San Francisco, Cal., Attorney for Executors.

SAN FRANCISCO Stock & Exchange Board

(ZADIG & CO., STOCKBROKERS.)

Alpha	06	Justice	01
Alta	..	Kentuck	08
Andes	12	Lady Wash	04
Belcher	18	Mexican	35 37
Best & B	73	North G & C	15 ..
Bullion	..	Occidental	16 ..
Caledonia	12	Ophir	1.20 1.25
Chollar	05	Overman	10 11
Chal Con	08	Potosi	10 12
Confidence	..	Savage	25 27
Con Imperial	02	Scorpion	.. 07
Con New York	..	Seg Belcher	.. 06
C C & V M Co	29	Sierra Nev	29 30
Crown Pt	25	Silver Hill	45 53
Exchequer	20	Union Con	25 28
Gould & C	06	Utah	.. 04
Hale & N	44	Yellow Jacket	.. 1.80
Julia	..		

SALES.

200 Andes	13
100 do	12
300 Best & Belcher	75
200 Caledonia	14
600 Challenge Con	09
500 Chollar	03
400 Con C and Va M Co	20
100 Crown Point	25
100 Exchequer	20
200 Hale & Norcross	46
400 Ophir	1.20
100 Overman	10
100 Savage	28
200 Sierra Nevada	30

LOCAL WHEAT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Wheat, weak. May, $1.64 asked; cash, $1 60@1.65.

Barley, easy. May, $1.65 asked, $1.64 bid; cash, $1.55@1.60.

Corn, steady. Large yellow, cash, $1.70@1.75.

PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Butter, strong. Creameries, 20@20½c; dairies, 17@25c.

Eggs, steady, at mark cases included, 24@25c for fresh laid stock, others as low as 18c.

GUESTS NOW AT OAKLAND HOTELS

KEY ROUTE INN.

Charles D. Pierce, Stockton; Mrs. Charles D. Pierce, Stockton; W. J. Murray, Denver; Thos. Pattison, Gallup, N. M.; Mr and Mrs. E. W. Churchill, Napa; P. W. Seeley, San Francisco; S. P. Eastman, Berkeley; Mrs. S. P. Eastman, Berkeley, J. Leinert, Oakland.

GALINDO HOTEL.

E. J. Boyd, San Francisco; A. J. Fay, St. Louis; I. J. Waxman, San Francisco; J. J. Williams, Chicago; C. J. Wize, St. Louis; C. J. Walker, St. Louis.

HOTEL METROPOLE.

J. A. Hughston and wife, Grand Rapids, Mich.; W. E. Warrington, Indianapolis; Lilla A. Allen, Eureka; W. H. Phillips, New York; Mrs. Perry Polson, Seattle; Miss Minnie Polson, Seattle; C. Hoag, Oakland; F. G. Carpenter, New York; George Rubenstein, New York; George W. Greenbaum, New York; G. C. Dexter, Calistoga.

HOTEL TOURAINE.

J. H. Kemp, San Francisco; B. P. Saught, San Francisco; Miss Crane, San Jose; Miss Anderson, Chicago; Mrs. Hibbard and family, Tokio; Mrs. Heim and family, Manchester; H. C. Ayer, city; J. Moorhouse and wife, Butte; Mrs. Griffiths, Hirasaki, Japan; J. H. Brisker, U. S. Navy; R. H. Cromwell, New York; Mrs. Ingram, San Francisco; E. A. Gregory and wife, Iowa; Mrs. Woods, Iowa; C. H. Kenworthy, Chicago.

HOTEL ARLINGTON.

A. Bird and wife, Albany, N. Y.; C. R. Young and wife, Los Angeles; J. H. Miley, Boise; H. H. Hill, city; B. T. Flint, Portland, Ore.; George Mason and wife, Sandusky, O.; J. A. McCoy, Kennett, Cal.; Frank Johnson and wife, San Francisco; H. Bishop, San Jose; J. A. Cull and wife, Antioch; C. E. Cladbourne, Reno.

HOTEL CRELLIN.

C. O'Donnell, Tonopah; E. L. Jefferson, Eureka; William Scott, Fresno; M. Davis, Fresno; E. C. Smith and wife, Sacramento; E. B. Morse, Kalamazoo; F. W. Kellog, Altadena; G. A. Young, Los Angeles; James Smith, Chicago; C. A. Shayer, San Francisco; A. Coddington and son, San Jose; J. F. Dollhmain, Eureka; A. Hackett, Sacramento; G. Ferries, Sacramento; T. F. Holmes, San Francisco.

ATHENS HOTEL.

E. M. Engle, Portland, Or.; F. Wilson and wife, St. Helena, Mont.; J. W. Hagan, New York; Jennie J. Nichols and child, Oakland; Mrs. Austin Arnold, San Francisco; Mrs. George Jessew, Sacramento; H. H. Hess, Denver; Ernestine Molino, Watsonville; P. G. Lauerthal, Mexico; J. J. Doran, Buffalo; J. M. Seligir, San Francisco; Mrs. Emma Eakle, Woodlands; J. C. Fitzsimmons, Oakland; V. H. Woods, San Luis Obispo.

RACE ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up.

1793	*Azusa	105
1833	*Santa Ray	109
1830	St. George Jr.	112
1704	Yauk	110
1795	Hallsime	110
1699	Mitre	110
1830	Bantam	111
1835	Trinita	110
1797	Miss Gibson	114
1825	Ethel Abbott	114

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs, selling; four-year-olds and up.

1825	Royal Scot	111
1743	Lord Nelson	111
(1519)	Dick Wilson	114
....	Transmute	111
1823	*Dr Sherman	106
1832	E. M. Brattain	106
(1832)	Prince Brutus	115
1818	The Mighty	114
(1797)	Celeres	111
(1823)	Salvage	115
1818	Judge	114
1793	The Reprobate	111

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up.

1828	Beechwood	114
1828	Invader	114
1818	Lustig	117
1839	May Amelia	110
1815	Galvestonian	113
1778	Hazeline	110
1832	Koenigin Luise	114
1818	Shelly Lad	114
1832	Triumphant	113
1823	*Melar	109

FOURTH RACE—One mile, Pacific Union Handicap; two-year-olds; $2000 added.

1820	Gene Russell	115
1817	Hand Me Down	92
(1824)	Durlington	106
1770	Glorio	112
1824	Joe Nealon	105
(1734)	Husky	109
1834	College Widow	110
1829	St. Avon	99
1807	Pajarolta	118

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; Lafayette Handicap; three-year-olds and up; value $1000.

1826	J. C. Clem	92
1826	Dollie Dollars	92
1826	Red Leaf	90
1826	Fred Bent	90
(1790)	Peter Sterling	119
1808	Rubric	104
1810	Northwest	92
1827	Jacomo	95

SIXTH RACE—Seven and one-half furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up.

857	Graphite	109
1830	Webber	105
(1783)	Lone Wolf	109
1824	Jack Adams	109
(1809)	Corrigan	112
1828	*Agnola	104
1833	Mabel Hollander	105
1833	Silver Wedding	109
1828	All Ablaze	105
1169	*Markle Mayer	104
1833	*Tirp	104
1833	Sea Air	1..

WHEAT PITS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Wheat today was active and weak. May opened ⅛@¼ to ⅜@½c lower at 99⅞c to $1.00¼, sold up to $1.00⅜, and then declined to 99⅝c.

May corn opened a shade to ¼c lower at 56⅛@56⅜c to 56⅝c, sold at 57⅛c and then dropped to 56⅞c.

May oats opened ⅛c lower at 53⅝c and after touching 54c, sold at 53⅜c.

May pork opened 17½@22½c lower at $13.05@13.10.

Lard was 7½@12½c lower at $7.85@7.90.

Ribs opened 7½@10c to 12½c lower at $7@7.05.

NEW YORK CLOSE

Atchison	70¼
do preferred (bid)	86
Baltimore and Ohio	80⅛
Canadian Pacific	149¾
Chicago and Northwestern	134
do preferred (bid)	180
Colorado Southern	19½
Denver and Rio Grande	19⅝
do preferred	58
Erie	16⅞
Illinois Central	128
Louisville and Nashville	90¾
Mexican Central	14¼
Missouri Pacific	50½
New York Central	93½
Pennsylvania	111¼
Reading	90¼
Rock Island	14½
do preferred	29
St. Paul	100⅝
Southern Pacific	71½
Southern Railway	13¼
Union Pacific	114¼
do preferred (bid)	79¼
Wabash	9¼
Wisconsin Central	14

MISCELLANEOUS.

Amalgamated Copper	45⅝
American Car and Foundry	29⅞
American Locomotive	35½
American Smelting and Refining	69⅞
do preferred (bid)	90¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	37½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	18⅞
International Paper (bid)	8
National Biscuit (bid)	65½
National Lead (ex-div)	38⅛
Pacific Mail	22
People's Gas (bid)	75⅜
Pressed Steel Car	19
Pullman Palace Car	145
Standard Oil	453
Sugar	91⅛
United States Steel	25⅜
do preferred	86⅞
Western Union	55½
Great Northern preferred	114⅜
Northern Pacific	113¾
Interborough-Metropolitan (bid)	6⅞
do preferred (bid)	18
Mackay Companies (ex-div) (bid)	50½
do preferred (bid)	53

SAN FRANCISCO Stock and Bond Exchange

(BY J. C. WILSON, STOCKBROKER.)
488 California Street, San Francisco.

	Bid.	Asked.
Miscellaneous Bonds—		
Contra Costa Water Co 5%	99¾	..
do Gen Mtg 5%	87	90
Los Angeles Lighting Gd 5%	..	101
North Pac Coast R R 5%	90½	..
Northern Ry Co (of Cal) 5%	..	109
Oakland Transit Co 6%	108½	..
Oakland Transit Con 5%	..	100
Pacific Electric Ry Co 5%	..	99½
S F, Oak and San Jose Ry 5%	..	100
S P R R of Ariz 6% (1909)	..	101
S P R R of Cal 6% (1912)	102⅞	103½
S P Branch Ry of Cal 6%	117½	..
S P R R Co 1st Refunding 4%	80	..
United R R of S F 4%	59	61
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co	20¾	22
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Mutual Elec Light Co (Ctfs)	4¾	..
Sugar Stocks—		
Onomea Sugar Co	28¼	..
Paauhau S P Co	13¾	14¼
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Associated Oil Co	25	..
Cal Fruit Canners' Ass'n	..	101
Cal Wine Association	75	81
Pacific Coast Borax Co	152½	..
Pac Tel and Tel (pfd)	69½	..
do (common)	9½	11

SALES.

5000 S P 1912	103
5000 U C W 5%	100
12 15.50 Fireman's Fund Ins	145
5 Pac Tel and Tel pfd	70

PRODUCE MARKET

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS

Bran—$28@29.50 per ton.

Middlings—$31@32 per ton.

Shorts—$28.50@30 per ton.

Feedstuffs—Rolled barley, $35@36; rolled oats for feed, $40; chopped feed, $20@24; oilcake meal in 20-ton lots $38.50; 10-ton lots, $39; 5-ton lots, $39.50 cocoanut cake or meal at mills $25 in 15 and $25.50 in 5-ton lots; jobbing, $28; corn meal, $37; cracked corn, $38; broom corn feed, 90c@$1 per ctl; alfalfa meal, carload lots, $22; jobbing, $23 per ton; mealfalfa, $21 50; jobbing, $22.50.

Hay—Wheat, $12@17.50 per ton; wheat and oats, $12@15; tame oat, $12@15; volunteer wild oat, $10@13 50; alfalfa, $9@14; stock, $9@10.

Straw—45@85c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

Beans (per ctl)—Bayos, $3.15@3.25; pea, $3.50@3.60; small white, $3.40@3.50; large white, $3 20@3.40; pink, $3 10@3 20; red, $3.25@3.50; limas, $4.85@5; red kidneys, $3.25@3.35; blackeyes, $4; horse beans, $2.25@2.75; cranberry beans, $2.75@3.25; Garvanzas, $3.50@3.75.

Seeds—Brown mustard, $8@8.25; yellow mustard, $5@5.50; flaxseed, $2.75; canary, 3¾@4c; alfalfa, 15@16c; rape, cleaned, 2¾@3c; timothy, nominal; hemp, 4¼@4½c; millet, 2¼@2¾c per lb; broom corn seed, $18@20 per ton.

Dried Peas—Green are quotable at $2.75@3, and Niles at $1.75@2 per ctl.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

Butter—Fresh creamery extras, 33c per lb, weak, do firsts, 30c, weak; do seconds, 25c, weak; do thirds, 24c, weak; eastern ladle, nominal; California storage extras, 27½c, steady; do firsts, 26c steady; do seconds, 25c, steady; eastern storage, steady; at 27½c for extras, 27c for firsts and 26½c for seconds, eastern storage ladles steady at 21c for extras and 20c for firsts.

NOTICE OF INTENDED REMOVAL OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the OCCIDENTAL MOTOR CAR COMPANY, a corporation, intends to remove its principal place of business from Room 1112, Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland, California, to Room 122, No. 787 Market street, City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

(SEAL.) ABE P. LEACH, Secretary.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES and DEATHS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued

Alfred Osborn, 23, Alameda, and Mina Gilstrap, 19, San Francisco.

Angelo Palmere, 22, Livermore, and Katie Peralta, 18, Contra Costa county.

Herman C Huensk, 23, and Ophelia C. Galicia, 18, both of San Francisco.

Manuel R ach, 22, Oakland, and Julia Jardin, 19, Fruitvale.

BORN.

HANRAHAN—In this city, December 7, 1907, to the wife of D. J. Hanrahan, a son.

HICKS—In Berkeley, December 11, to the wife of H. T. Hicks, a son.

DIED.

BELL—In Alameda, December 12, George, beloved husband of Ada Bell, father of George William Bell and brother of Mrs. Joseph S. Moulton, a native of Kirkcudbright, Scotland, aged 62 years, 1 month and 22 days.

GHIORSO—In Berkeley, December 11, Mary, dearly beloved wife of Antone Ghiorso and mother of Margarite Ghiorso, a native of Italy, aged 25 years and 1 month.

HARVEY—In Alvarado, December 12, 1907, Frederick Ingemund, beloved son of Fred T. and Selma G. Harvey, a native of Alvarado, aged 3 years, 11 months and 28 days.

HILL—In Oakland December 12, Richard Kenton Hill, beloved father of Mrs. Ethel A. Rodgers, Mrs. Grace Rodgers of Portland, Or., Mrs. Pearl Rose of Hayward and Clyde Hill of Seattle, Wash., a native of Kentucky, aged 61 years and 10 months.

KLETT—In Alameda, December 12, 1907, George F. Klett, beloved father of Mrs. F. C. Abendroth, Mrs. C. H. Weissker and Mrs. M. E. Kohler, a native of Germany, aged 80 years, 7 months and 17 days. (Philadelphia papers please copy.)

McCARTHY—In this city, December 11, 1907, George M., beloved son of Daniel McCarthy and the late Catherine McCarthy and loving brother of Mary, Daniel P., William T. and Emily McCarthy, a native of California, aged 30 years.

**Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Saturday, December 14th, at 9:30 a. m., from his late residence, 1712 Ninth street. Interment, private, St. Mary's Cemetery.

NOTICE to members of the American Council, No. 4, Y. M. I. You are hereby notified to attend the funeral of our late brother, George McCarthy, at 9 a. m. Saturday, December 14th, from his residence, 1712 Ninth street.

R. R. BURKE, Cor. Sec.

MURILLO—In Oakland, December 10, Pauline Ruth, beloved daughter of Paul and Antoinette Murillo, a native of Oakland, aged 8 months.

SIMON—In Berkeley, December 12, Michael Simon, dearly beloved brother of George Simon and Mrs. F. Birkenstock and uncle of Louise I. and Freda Simon, Willie and George Wagner and Albert and Emilia Birkenstock, a native of Alsace, aged 85 years, 2 months and 15 days. A member of California Aerie No. 1423, F. O. E., Berkeley, and Society Alsace-Lorraine.

MINING STOCKS

are making quite a recovery from recent low prices and are still advancing. Miners are returning to work in Goldfield, which foreshadows more settled conditions there between miners and mine-owners. Buy stocks while they are low.

Ricketts Brokerage Co.

PHONE OAK 7840. 481 ELEVENTH STREET

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The stock market opened dull and was practically unchanged from yesterday's closing. An abrupt fall of 2 points in New York Central started a general decline in which the bear party was very active. After spirited sellings for about half an hour which resulted in many sharp losses, the market became very dull, but steadier for the western stocks. Canadian Pacific fell 2⅛. Great Northern preferred, Northern Pacific 2 and International Paper preferred 1¼ and St. Paul, Pennsylvania, Reading, Louisville and Nashville 1, American Smelting, American Sugar and Distillers' Securities 1.

The market hardened steadily until it made up all of its early decline. A sharp drive was then made against American Sugar and when it broke to 90½c the lowest price of the year, the general market also fell back slightly but soon recovered. Chicago Great Western preferred "A" dropped 8 points on selling, inspired by the postponement of dividend payment on its debenture stock. Brooklyn Union Gas also yielded 4⅞, Westinghouse Electric 1½ and Colorado and Southern and the first preferred and Consolidated Gas 1.

Bonds were irregular.

There was a reduction in the volume of business after 12 o'clock, but the tone of the market grew steadily better owing to the demand for Reading and the support of the metal stocks. New York Central and American Sugar continued heavy and ruled near the low point.

HOP MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 13.—Hops in London (Pacific Coast), quiet, £2@£3.

WOOL MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 13.—Wool, steady. Territory and western medium, 20@23c; fine medium, 19@21c; fine, 15@18c.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 13.—Wheat opened, December, nominal; March, 7s 8d.

METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Lead, weak, $3.00@3.05.

Lake copper weak, 13@13¼c.

Silver, 54⅞c.

SHIPPING NEWS

POINT LOBOS, Dec. 12, 10 p. m.—Weather, cloudy; wind, southwest; velocity, 22 miles.

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY.

Time and heights of high and low waters at Fort Point, entrance to San Francisco bay. By official authority of the superintendent.

The time of high and low waters at the San Francisco front (Mission-street wharf) is about twenty-five minutes later than at Fort Point. The height of tides is the same at both places. The time at the Webster-street bridge is forty minutes later than the time indicated in the following table:

DECEMBER 13 TO 18.

	H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.	
	Time	Feet	Time	Feet	Time	Feet	Time	Feet
	A M		A M		P M		P M	
12	6 05	5 5	12 00	2 1	5.50	4.1	11:40	1.0
13	6:52	5 6	1.11	1.7	7.12	4.1	....	...
	L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.	
14	0:18	1 6	7 35	5 5	2 05	1.2	8 28	4.3
15	1 28	2.0	8:13	5 7	2:39	0.6	9.35	4 5
16	2:17	2.4	8 50	5 6	3 45	0 1	10 30	4 5
17	3:04	2 7	9:27	5 8	4:28	—0 3	11 25	4.6
18	3:48	3 0	10 02	5.0	5 05	—.05	.....	..

DECEMBER 13.

Sun Rises ....7 16 | Sun Sets 4:51

SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING.

Steamers due and to sail tomorrow and for the next few days are as follows:

TO ARRIVE.

Steamers—	From—	Due.
San Mateo	Tacoma	Dec. 14
Santa Barbara	San Pedro	Dec. 14
Northland	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 14
City of Puebla	Puget Sound ports	Dec. 14
F. H. Leggett	Humboldt	Dec. 14
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Sea Foam	Mendocino and Point Arena	Dec. 15
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Queen	San Diego and way ports	Dec 16
G. W. Elder	Portland and way ports	Dec. 16
Costa Rica	Portland and Astoria	Dec 16
San Jose	New York via Ancon	Dec. 16
F A. Kilburn	San Pedro	Dec. 17
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Spokane	Humboldt	Dec. 18
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Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 19
Governor	Puget Sound ports	Dec. 19
China	China and Japan	Dec. 20
Mariposa	Tahiti	Dec. 20
Centralia	Grays Harbor	Dec. 20

TO SAIL.

December 14.

Santa Barbara—Grays Harbor, 4 p. m., pier 2.

Santa Monica—Grays Harbor, 4 p. m., pier 2.

Vanguard—Humboldt, 9 a. m., pier 3.

F. Leggett—Los Angeles ports, pier 2.

Ranier—Seattle and Bellingham, 3 p. m., pier 10.

Spokane—Humboldt, 10:30 a. m., pier 9.

Peru—New York via Ancon, 12 m., pier 42.

Watson—Seattle and Tacoma, 1:30 p. m., pier 20.

Senator—Astoria and Portland, 11 a. m., pier 24.

December 15

Eureka—Humboldt, 9 a. m., pier 13.

Roanoke—Portland and way ports, 1 p. m., pier 13

Santa Rosa—San Diego and way ports, 10 a. m., pier 11.

December 16.

Eureka—Seattle and Tacoma, pier 9.

Cascade—Willapa Harbor, pier 2.

G. W. Elder—Los Angeles ports, 5 p. m., pier 13.

December 17.

North Fork—Humboldt, 5 p. m., pier 20.

F. Kilburn—Los Angeles ports, 4 p. m., pier 10.

City of Topeka—Humboldt, 10:30 a. m., pier 9.

America Maru—China and Japan, 1 p. m., pier 42.

Bonita—San Pedro and way ports, 1 p. m., pier 11.

December 18.

M. F. Plant—Coos Bay, 4 p. m., pier 8.

Alaskan—Salina Cruz.

Sea Foam—Mendocino and Point Arena, 4 p. m., pier 2

City of Puebla—Puget Sound ports, 11 a. m., pier 9.

December 19.

Queen—San Diego and way ports, 10 a. m., pier 11.

Hilonian—Honolulu, 2 p. m., pier 10.

Daisy Mitchell—Willapa Harbor, 5 p. m., pier 2.

December 20

Boverie—Auckland and Sydney.

Costa Rica—Astoria and Portland, 11 a. m., pier 24.

OAKLAND Stock Exchange

Evening session, December 12, 1907.

2000 Atlanta	25	1000 do	48
2000 Blue Bull	17	1000 Lone Star	10
1000 Donnie C	08	1000 Mhwk Ex	05
1000 Crackerjk	07	2000 Oro	09
1000 Goldn An	04	1000 Red Top E	11
1000 Great Bend	25	1000 St. Ives	41
2000 Jim Butler	47	1000 West End C	35

Morning session, December 13, 1907.

1000 Comb Frac	75	2000 Jumbo Ex	57
100 Florence	3.87	2000 Oro	09
1000 Flor Ex s10	13	1000 Red Hills	28
1000 Great Bend	27		

OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS RECORDED DECEMBER 11, 1907.

Toler Land Company (corporation) to Frederick R. Hamilton, lots 6, 7, 41 and 42, block C, map Toler Heights, Brooklyn township; $10.

Frances J. Johnson to R. A. Wass (single), W California, 366.45 S Addison, S 40xW 129.25, portion lots 12 and 13, block 1, map property Spaulding tract, Berkeley; $10.

Cecil T and Grace S. Walker (wife) to Hetty T. Henshaw, wife of William G. Henshaw, lot 27, W 8 77 feet lot 28, block 193, Kellrgs map, Oakland; $10.

John William Sinclair, Jr., guardian estate and guardianship John William Sinclair (incompetent person) to Imperial Salt Company, beginning at corner of sections 7, 8, 17 and 18, township 4 S, R 2 W, thence N along section line between sections 7 and 8 20 chains, W 20 chains, N 20 chains, E 60 chains, S 20 chains, N 4, S 20, W 2, S 1.64 to right or N bank of Alameda creek, thence meandering creek down stream and along N bank to point on section line between sections 17 and distance 3.50 S from corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18, N 3.50 to beginning, containing 220 acres, being of swamp and overflowed land survey 218 and portion swamp and overflowed survey 204 and 288 and being NE ¼ of SE ¼ section 7 and SW ¼ section 8 and portion SW ¼ of SE ¼ section 8, portion of N ½ section 17, township 4 S, R 2 W; $11,000.

Clara J. and J. R. Rogers (husband) to Mrs. Amelia D. White (widow), lot 68, block 5, map Maxwell tract, Emeryville, Oakland; $10.

East Piedmont Land Company to Iowa T Finnell (widow), lot 13, block D, map 4th ave terrace, Oakland; $10.

Amanda L. and Harry Anderson to P. Etchemendy, S 66th (Blackstone), 161 E San Pablo ave, E 40xS 110, lot 7, map Rock Island tract, Oakland; $10.

Henry C. Nelson (single) to Victoria E. Geasley, wife of Julius Geisler, W Dover, 77 S 54th (Sonoma), S 70xW 90, portion lots 14 to 17, block F, map Santa Fe tract No. 2, Oakland, $10.

Elizabeth Kilborn (widow) to Elizabeth Classen or Clausen, wife of John Classen or Clausen, W Campbell, 125-7 S Railroad ave, S 25xW 75, lot 22, block 500, map Gibbons property at Oakland Point, Oakland; gift

Alice S. Steele, wife of Lewis Steele, to Mary Helm, E 9th, 367 N Snyder ave, N 77.75 E 150.09 S 82.86, W 150, lot 10, N ½ of lot 9, subdivision lots 22 to 25, Snyder tract, given to correct error, Berkeley; $10.

Mary Holm (single) to John and Gustava Holm (wife), same, Berkeley; $10.

Charles T. and Carrie M. Rodolph (wife) to Emeline Rees, SW E 15th 100 SE 5th ave, SE 15xSW 100, portion block 50, Clinton, Oakland, $10.

George T. Killam (single) to Leah F. Mott (single), E Cottage, 400 S Santa Clara ave, S 50xE 100, lots 43 and 44, revised map Encinal Home lots, Alameda; $10

B D. and Stella M Merchant (wife) to same, lot 44, same, Alameda $10.

Debbie A. Mott (single) to Leah F. Mott (single), S Chester, 100 E Regent, E 64x8 100, portion lots 2 to 5, block 3, Chester tract, Alameda; $10.

Leah F Mott (single) to J. K. Butler, S Chester, 100 E Regent, E 32xS 90, lots 2 to 5, block 3, same, Alameda; $10.

Arthur R. Hapgood to Lucia A. Lord, wife of C. R. Lord, W Henry, distance from NW corner Berkeley way and Henry 86.60, N 50x W 45, N 50 feet lot 12, block 2, Clapp tract, Berkeley; $10

Alameda Land Company, Robert R Bott, E. A Janssen and H. A Cohen to Leah F. Mott (single), lot 32x90, S side Chester, between Broadway and Regent beginning 100 E from Regent, thence E 32, Alameda; Q. C. D., $10.

Horace D. and Carrie M. Irwin (wife) to John M. Scotchler, E Tremont, 381.24 N 65th, N 35xE 100, portion lot 1, block 3, map Edgewood Park and portion lot 25, map Berkeley Park, Oakland; $10.

North Terrace Land Company to Cathrine M. Whitten (married), lots 19, 20, 165 and 166, lot C, subdivision lot 2, D. Peralta Homestead map North Terrace Land Company, Berkeley; $10

DEEDS RECORDED DECEMBER 12, 1907.

Lawrence H. and Susan F. Pierson to Eugene J. and Charles W. Baldwin, subdivision 6, in lot 16, map 3, Glen Echo tract, being redivision lots 10, 16, 18, 28, 29, 35, 36, 37 and 38, map 2, Glen Echo tract, Oakland, $1.

Blanche E. Belden (single) to W. W. Nelson, N 44th, 825 50 E Grove, E 49.70xN 100, portion plot 36, Kellrgs map Ranchos V. and D. Peralta, being also W 35 feet lot 20, block 2101, McCourtney tract, deed given to correct description November 11, 1907, Oakland; $10

Anna E. Smith (single) to Sarah J. Sherman, undivided ½ beginning at point 125 W of intersection W Elm with N Hawthorn ave, N 90 xE 40, W portion lot 15, map Buena Vista Homestead, Oakland; $1.

E. S. and Mary A. Belden (wife) to W. W. Nelson, N 44th, 775.30 E Grove, E 50xN 100, portion plot 36, Kellrgs map given to correct error in description in deed November 11, 1907, Oakland; $10.

E S. and Mary A Belden (wife) to same, N 44th, 745 30 E Grove, E 30x———, same, given for same, Oakland, $10.

G. W. Chamberlain (single man) to Walter S. Gray, lots 20 and 21, block 7, map Highland subdivision Adams Point property, portion plot 21, V. and D. Peralta Rancho, Oakland; $10

Annie Clooney, wife of Thomas J. Clooney, N William, 175 W Campbell W 50xN 100, portion block 500, Oakland; $10.

Thomas and Anne Knightly (wife) to Michael and Catherine McDonough (wife), E Valdez, 175 N Dennison, N 25xE 125, portion lot 6, block C, Shell Mound, Oakland; $10.

S. G. and E. B. Hickok alias (wife) to James C Hickok, E Wheeler, 75 N Prince, N 25xE 100, portion lot 19, block A, map portion Woolsey tract, Berkeley; $10.

James C. and Alice Hickok (wife) to Silas G. Hickok, same, Berkeley; $10

Pasquel France (single) to Sarah France, lot 11, block 37, map North Addition town of Livermore, Murray township; $00.

Wickham Havens Inc. to Katherine M. Culbertson, wife of John R. Culbertson, lot 23, block E, map East Piedmont Heights, Oakland; $10

East Piedmont Land Company to Mary A. Van De Mark, wife of William N. Van De Mark, lot 44, block H, map 5th ave terrace, Oakland; $10.

Joseph H., Oscar F., Samuel W., Anthony J., Alice M. and Amelia L. George to Mary M. George, S 16th, 135 E Campbell, E 25xS 129, portion lot 14, block 727 A, map redivision blocks 740 and portion blocks 759, 727 and 728, Oakland; $10.

Clarence D and K. A. Smith (wife) to T. M. Perkins, lots 20 and 21, map Santa Fe tract, No 17, Oakland; $10

Thomas F. Kenney (single) to Joseph F. and Mary R Avelar (wife), lots 18 and 19, block D, map Linda Vista, Brooklyn township; $10.

A. Maude Matthews (single) to C. L. Peaslee, lot 74, block 6, map Key Route Terrace No. 3, Berkeley; $10.

W. W. Nelson (single man) to Henry C. Nelson (single), undivided ½, N Prospect ave, 354 E from NE corner Broadway and Prospect ave, NE 104.67, SE 188.84, NE 207.63 to point in S Orchard distance 475.71 from SE corner of Broadway and Orchard, SE 12 to point in center of new line Cemetery creek, SW 404.75, NW 169.83 to beginning, Oakland; $10.

Thomas R. and Mary Martin (wife) to Elizabeth S. Morse (widow), S Moss ave, 237 02 E from point of intersection with NE line county road from Oakland to San Leandro, E 40, S 125.83, W 40, N 125.24, lot 26, block A, amended map Moss tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Lucius A. and Mary C. Ashley (wife) to William P. Jones, lot 18, map Ashley tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Elizabeth J. Anderson to Peter W. Anderson (husband) lots 1 and 2, block W, revised map Oakland Heights, Oakland; gift

William A. Anderson (single) to same, lot 1, block W, revised map Oakland Heights, Oakland; gift.

G. A. and Rosa B. Wanger (wife) to J. C. Rudolph, lots 2 to 5, block C, amended map Salinger tract in plot 55, Ranchos V. and D. Peralta, Berkeley; $10.

Kate Wills (widow) to Mary J Canham, N E 22d, 40 W 25th ave, W 40xN 100, lot 1, block G, Latham Terrace, Oakland, $10.

West Coast Realty Company to Elizabeth Jones (married), lots 14, 21 and 22, block A, lots 31 and 32, block C, map resubdivision High Street Villa tract, Fruitvale, Brooklyn township; $10.

John T and Annie Mabey (wife) to Alfred Mabey (single), S Bristol, 124.88 W Sacramento, W 35x8 107, portion block 5, Shaw tract, Berkeley; $10.

Herman S. McKeen (single) to Mary F. Toll (widow), N 16th, 125 E Grove, E 25xN 90, portion lot 1, block 271, Casserly tract, Oakland; $10.

William G. and Hetty T. Henshaw (wife) to Joseph and Lizzie Stevens (wife), lots 55 and 56, block C, map Linda Park, Brooklyn township; $10.

ANCIENT MARRIAGE CUSTOM REVIPED

At a recent wedding at Whitburn, Sunderland, a curious ancient marriage custom was observed, says the London Tidbits. The custom consists in the villagers providing a "hotpot" and presenting it at the church door as the bridal party leaves. It is considered a great compliment to be the recipient of this strange wedding present. It is recorded that one popular couple were presented with no fewer than seventy such "hotpots." It is to hoped they did not try to eat them all. This custom is believed to be unique in the kingdom.

REVIVING OLD MAGGIE CAMP

TUSCARORA, Nevada, Dec. 13.—The famous old district of Maggie is coming to life again.

The old Maggie creek district is situated about forty miles north of Tuscarora, on the stage road to Mountain City, and in the seventies and early eighties the Maggie mine produced many hundreds of thousands of dollars from some of the highest grade gold and silver ore ever encountered in this section of the country, and is preparing to ship again.

The Maggie group, which is composed of fifteen claims, has five distinct quartz ledges paralleling the ground, any one of which would be sufficient to encourage much careful work and prospecting.

One three-foot ledge from which grab samples were taken shows gold values on the surface of from $130 to $1000 to the ton. The ore in this vein is of tellurium character.

Average samples taken clear across another vein, four feet in width, also tellurium, give values of $24 per ton gold on the surface, and in the bottom of an eighteen foot shaft sunk on this vein, the assay returns show an average of $64 to the ton.

EDITOR WHO SHOT MAN NOT TO BE PROSECUTED

District Attorney Recommends That Accused be Released.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 13.—Editor J. Holman Buck, who shot and killed Francis L. Burton at Mina Tuesday, has been released from custody and will not be prosecuted. District Attorney Swallow returned yesterday morning from Mina and reported that Buck had been released notwithstanding the failure of the coroner's jury to reach a verdict of justification. Five jurors voted for justification and one against. District Attorney Swallow said that Buck could not be convicted in any court on the evidence against him and recommended that the prisoner be discharged.

After a man gets about so full he can make himself believe that other men think he is perfectly sober.

NO WORD HEARD FROM FRIENDS OF DEAD MAN

Coroner of Contra Costa Inquires Into Hunting Tragedy.

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—The body of R. H. McCloud, the young man who was killed at Bay Point Saturday by a Santa Fe train, still remains at the morgue in this city unclaimed. The body is that of a clean-cut young fellow, evidently of the middle class, but there was nothing on his person indicating where he came from or where he was going. If Coroner Abbott does not obtain any information regarding the relatives of the dead man within the next few days he will order the burial of the body.

The inquest over the remains of Jack Dillon, who was accidently killed by the discharge of a shotgun at Sobrante, Wednesday, will be held this evening by Coroner Abbott.

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S. P. NOT READY TO CHANGE STEAM ROADS TO ELECTRIC

JULIUS KRUTTSCHNITT DIRECTOR OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE HARRIMAN LINES

Director of Maintenance Julius Kruttschnitt Explains the Conditions On the Harriman Lines.

According to Julius Kruttschnitt director of maintenance and operation of the Harriman railway lines the changing of Southern Pacific Oakland and Berkeley's local steam roads to electric lines must wait until the financial cramp is no longer felt. The Alameda road is to be converted to electricity as soon as possible.

Mr Kruttschnitt discussed the railroad situation after an all day conference yesterday with local officials of the Southern Pacific. He said also that as for the railroad force generally it will according to the regular winter custom be cut down wherever possible after the busy work of getting locomotives and cars all repaired and overhauled for the winter service.

WORKING AT DUMBARTON

"Work on the Dumbarton cut-off is all done but the driving of 100 to 200 feet of piles on the long trestle and the wait for the arrival of the structural steel for the big draw bridge at midchannel. We are pegging away down there Mr Hood tells me and going right on with the project and will continue till it is completed.

"We are going right on with the building of the line on into the Klamath Lake country and with the extension of the line from Calexico on the California Mexican border down in a big arc that will form a junction with the main line at Yuma after traversing the new and fertile Imperial valley country.

SIERRA ELECTRIC SYSTEM

The special electric commission appointed to look into the project of an electric system for the crossing of the Sierras has not yet examined the ground but there is a vast amount of data which the committee will have to go over before it can make its report.

The development of a coal mine in Monterey county Kruttschnitt said seems to have fallen flat as the promoters have sold out.

He further said that there is now no shortage of freight cars and that there will be less demand for coal for manufacturing than last winter owing to the closing of smelters and small factories hence the road can more easily supply coal to the local demand.

Mr Kruttschnitt expects to depart for Chicago in four or five days hence.

WANT AVENUES OPENED TO WATERFRONT FACTORIES

Business Interests in East Oakland Ask City Council to Take Favorable Action Now.

F J White of the White Ornamental Iron Company appeared at a meeting of the street committee of the City Council last night on behalf of the manufacturers and manufacturing interests located in Sessions Basin near Clinton Station in East Oakland and petitioned the committee to take favorable action in the opening to the waterfront and over the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company all the avenues from and including Fifth to Twenty first avenue. Following a general discussion the committee agreed to hold a special session next Thursday night to settle the question. At the meeting will be representatives of the manufacturers and the Southern Pacific Company and all other interested parties. It was finally decided to confine the petition to the opening of Seventh, Ninth and Tenth avenues.

NEEDED BY FACTORIES

F. J. White who represented beside his own firm the Clare & Hamilton Lumber Company the Oakland Sash and Door Company the East Shore Lumber Company the Peel Lumber Company the James C DeFremery Company the Atlas Gas Engine Company and the W P Dwyer Bolt Pulling Company said the opening of the avenues was of the utmost importance to all the manufacturing interests in the Session Basin. He felt that the Southern Pacific Company should agree to the opening of the avenues as they handle about 100 cars a month for the manufacturers. He thought it to the best interest of the railroad company to show no objection to any move which would benefit the very concerns they depended upon for revenue.

Judge Allen representing the Southern Pacific Company said that the opening of the avenues to the waterfront would cut up much property of the company and he asked time in which to look into the matter. It was then that the petition was put over for a week.

NO FIRE PROTECTION

In making his argument for the opening of the avenues White said that as affairs now existed there was absolutely no protection from fire, it being impossible for fire engines to run in to the property of the manufacturers. It was necessary that a means of ingress and egress be provided not only for fire protection but to allow the coming and going of teams. White showed that the payrolls of the companies he represented amounted to $36 500 per month. The companies practically all new business concerns in this city employ about 365 people.

"We are obliged to pay an exceedingly high rate of insurance because fire engines cannot get in to our property" said White. "We need open streets for not only fire engines but for teams and pedestrians as well. It is a serious matter and should be given serious attention."

The members of the committee expressed themselves as favoring a plan which will be a protection and benefit to the manufacturing interests. It is not assured that the Southern Pacific Company will protest to the opening of the avenues it being thought probable that the company itself will see an advantage and increased business with their opening.

VARIOUS STREET MATTERS

The street committee recommended the following:

That the city engineer file a report on a resolution of intention to sewer Clifton street, from College avenue westerly.

That the communication from Mrs Taylor stating that the main sewer at the foot of Oak street is out of order overflowing basements and yards in the vicinity be referred to the Board of Public Works.

That Berkeley Rock Company be granted thirty days extension of time to grade curb and macadamize Dover and Fifty seventh street.

That Michael Murphy be granted thirty days extension of time to sewer Shafter avenue.

That resolutions of intention for the sewering of West and Market streets be passed.

That Grant Stanley Company be granted sixty days extension of time to sewer Fourteenth avenue.

Granting James H McMahon ninety days extension of time to sewer Thirty sixth street.

That property owners on west side of Filbert street between Tenth and Twelfth streets be given three days notice to repair sidewalks also Thirteenth between Webster and Harrison streets also Seventh street from Union to Cypress street.

Passing of resolution of intention to grade curb and macadamize Beach between A and B streets also East Twenty sixth street between Nineteenth and Twenty first avenues.

That Twenty ninth street from Fairmont avenue westerly be graded curbed and macadamized.

That diagram of city engineer for approving East Twenty fifth and East Twenty sixth streets be accepted.

That twenty days notice be given for the laying of cement sidewalks six feet wide on south side of Twenty third street between Harrison Boulevard and Webster street also south side of Thirty eighth between Gold and Ruby streets.

That ordinance be passed recommending acceptance of East Fourteenth street from Twenty first avenue to eastern boundary line of city.

That grading of Milbury street from Thirteenth avenue to Hopkins street be laid over until spring.

That award to C B Burnham for side walking Thirty ninth street be rescinded.

That property owners be notified that Tremont street from Telegraph avenue to Harrison street is not an open street. City Attorney McElroy reported that this street has never been accepted.

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BOARD OF HEALTH TO INVESTIGATE BATHS

As the Board of Health is to make a report on the sanitary conditions of public baths in this city the ordinance and judiciary committee of the City Council last night laid over a proposed ordinance which will regulate the operation of baths.

Councilman Eugene Stachler introduced the measure which provides that only one person can occupy a bathtub at a time, that the water must be emptied from the bathtub after each bath and that the tub must be thoroughly cleansed after each bath. Stachler declared that there is an establishment in this city where fifteen men were allowed to bathe at once in the same bathtub and that others used the same water.

The Board of Health was requested to investigate this case and to make a report on it, and make recommendations for the regulation of baths. As this report was not ready the matter was continued.

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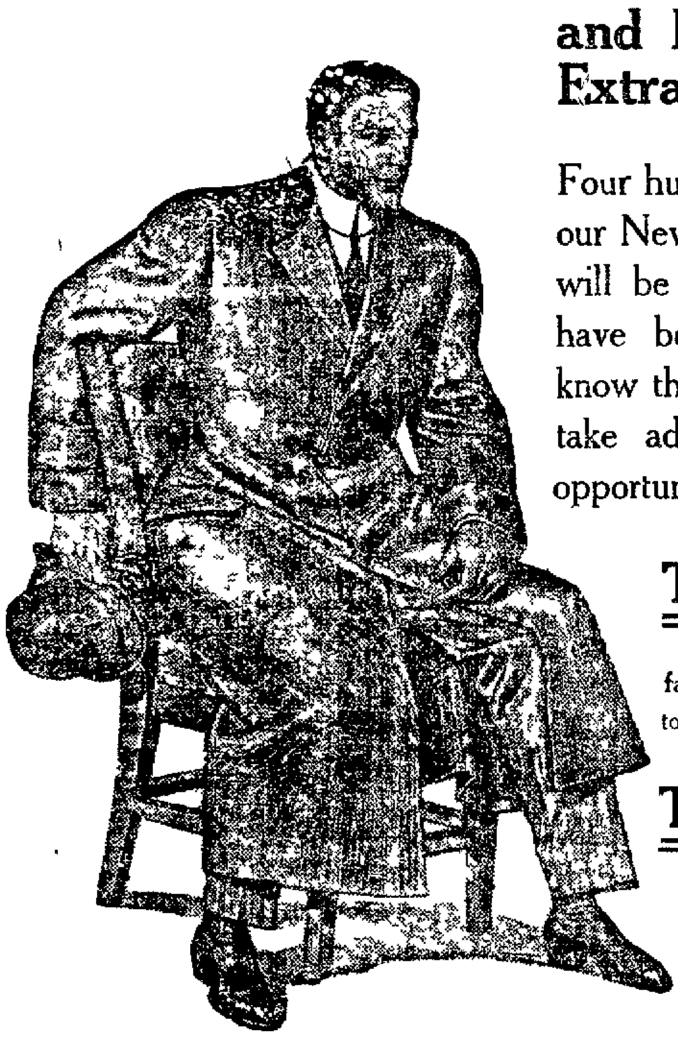

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